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MORE SHOPMEN JOIN STRIKE MOVE

Chicago Union Officials Declare 275,000 Are Now Out—Roads Affected by the Walkout.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—L. M. Hawver, president of the Chicago council of the Federated Railway Shopmen's union, declared today that more than 275,000 men have obeyed the strike issued last Friday in defiance of the International officials of the union.

ROADS FEEL STRIKE.

He said that every railroad in the middle west and south has been seriously affected by the walkout. The Elgin, Joliet and Eastern railroad, which he asserted usually runs 100 freight trains a day, was able to send out only one train yesterday because of the bad condition of rolling stock. Locomotives and cars unfit for service, he said, are piling up in every railway yard in the district affected he said.

The executive council of the union through President Hawver today issued an order calling on all shopmen to join the strike.

MORE JOIN IN STRIKE.

Word was received at union headquarters that all shopmen on the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railroad, represented by A. O. Wharton in the conferences with government officials at Washington, had walked out. A message stating that all shopmen employed by Florida railroads had joined the strike also was received in Chicago.

born, Ia., walked out this morning, according to information received here by the division officers of the railroad.

Mason City, Ia., Aug. 6.—About 200 men employed in the shops of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad here went on strike last night. Traffic on the road is likely to be more affected than on other lines here because comomn labor at the round house walked out too.

TURN OVER BOOKS.

Aurora, Aug. 6.—General Manager Edwin C. Faber of the Aurora, Elgin and Chicago railroad, today turned over the books of the company to Edward McMorrow, member of the executive board of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes, to figure out a way in which the company can secure enough added revenue to pay the wage increase of 21 cents an hour demanded by the six hundred carmen and shop hands who have been on strike since July 30.

The railroad and union officials went into conference today to figure out some means of increasing the company's revenue. The company offers to turn over all additional revenue allowed by the public utilities commission to the men in increased wages.

KANSAS CITY TIE UP.

Kansas City, Aug. 6.—A complete tie up in railroad repair work here resulted today in the spread of the shopmen's strike to include federated craft employes of the Burlington, and the Kansas City Southern, whose 1,000 shopmen walked out.

CAR MAKERS STRIKE.

Butler, Pa., Aug. 6.—Between 5,000 and 6,000 men went on a strike at the plant of the Standard Steel Car company here at noon today for higher wages. Workmen at the Forge Steel company, Butler Bolt and Rivet company and the Butler Carwheel company, which voted last night to take similar action, had not joined the movement up to early this afternoon.

B. R. FIREMEN TO MEET.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 6.—Three hundred local chairmen of the Brotherhood of Railway Firemen will meet here Aug. 12 to discuss wages and living conditions, it was learned here today.

BROOKLYN CAR STRIKE.

New York, Aug. 6.—Service on subway, elevated and surface lines in Brooklyn was not materially affected by a strike of conductors, guards, towermen and signalmen, which befan at 5 a. m. today, according to officals of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company. They announced that enough employes reported for duty to send out all trains and surface cars scheduled for the regular day service.

The strikers ask an eight-hour day, recognition of the union and increase in pay to 75 cents an hour for all trainmen and a proportionate raise for other employes.

Place Embargo On Shipments

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Effects on traffic of the strike of federated railroad shopmen, which started last Friday, were seen today in the embargo placed by several lines on all shipments of live stock and perishable goods except in carload lots. Accessions to the ranks of the strikers, which seemed to be increasing, it was believed, would lead additional lines to adopt similar measures.

INVESTIGATE STRIKE ORDER.

Investigation of the manner in in which the strike was called is under way here by H. A. Milroy, assistant United States district attorney who seeks evidence with a view to prosecution of those responsible for efforts to tie up the railroads which are under government supervision. He said:

"The district council which called the strike was formed here during the conference between the general director of railroads and the union officials at Washington. It was the policy of those union officials to have the men remain at work pending the adjustment of the differences. The district council of railroad shopmen had no authority to call the strike.

"Responsible union men have complained to the government and we are trying to determine who is responsible for the interference with government arbitration and with the operation of the railroads under federal administration."

4,000 COLUMBUS MEN OUT.

Columbus, O., Aug. 6.—Approximately four thousand men went on strike this morning at the Pennsylvania and Norfolk and Western railroad shops for higher wages. Employes at the Hocking Valley shops did not strike, and it was said they would not until a vote has been taken in accordance with instructions from national headquarters

RAILROAD UNIONS DEMANDS.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Representatives of fourteen railroad unions have joined in a communication to Director-General Hines, asking immediate increases in wages. So far as known this is the first instance on record in which all the railroad unions, representing 2,000,000 employes, have acted as a unit.

Mr. Hines said today he had not had time to analyze the communication, but it seemed a formal presentation of wage demands already made public.

MORE IOWA MEN OUT.

Mason City, Ia., Aug. 6.—Shop employes working for the Milwaukee railroad at Mitchell, S. D., and Sau-

SENATOR CALLS STRIKE TREASON

Thormas of Colorado Says It Is Time to Check Radicalism.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Senator Thomas, Democrat Colorado in an impassioned address Tuesday afternoon flung defiances to the railroad employes and likened their attitude to treason.

CALLS ACTION TREASON.

"I cannot justify it as anything short of treason" he said after citing the recent public statements of the Brotherhood officials.

"We are face to face with the demand for wage increases costing $800,000,000 which confessedly will not help them, or they will suspend great transportation system.

"Their second demand is for confiscation of $20,000,000,000 of property, that it be put into government ownership. This is the first time in the history of the American nation, "the Colorado senator continued, "and God grant it be the last, in which a segment of the American people has pointed its finger at the American congress and said 'you must legislate thus and so' or we will strike and tie up all transportation and industry.

MUST MEET THE ISSUE.

"Ours is the responsibility now to give answer. There is no consequence as serious as involved in yielding. It means an end to representative government. Let's not flinch the issue. It's quite as important as any treaty. It is a threat to bring ruin on the country."

In the past, Senator Thomas declared, both political parties in Congress had acted with a view to capturing the next presidential election and he expressed hope that in the present crisis partisan politics would not be a factor.

FIGHT RADICALISM.

Some times, he said, he wondered whether, in the next presidential election but one party, composed of both Democrats and Republicans would not be found fighting side by side to overcome the tide of radicalism.

"We have just waged a great war," he continued, "to make the world safe for democracy. It is now the duty of this generation to make democracy safe for the world, to make democracy conscious that there can be no liberty which does not respect the liberty of others."

CORN AGAIN GOES SKYWARD

Wildness to Buy When Government Decides to Maintain Wheat Price.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—An upward jump of 4½ to 9½ cents a bushel was the response of the corn market today to the announcement that the government would maintain the guaranteed price of $2.26 for wheat. The biggest rise was in the principal trading delivery, December, which soared at once to $1.52.

WILD TO BUY.

Wildness to buy was as evident today as yesterday's rush to sell. Holders and speculators had done the selling on the expectation that the government would decide to pocket a huge loss and would at once cut heat prices to consumers as much as 50 cents a bushel. When this idea was shown to be baseless, the market conditions were squarely reversed and for the time being little or no attention was paid to the notice that flour would be reduced $1.00 a barrel.

OATS UP ALSO.

New price levels extended to other commodities. Oats quickly shot skyward 2 to 5½ cents, lard 65 cents a hundredweight, and pork $1.50 a barrel.

In the excited trading speculators found themselves whipsawed to an extent not often equalled. A majority yesterday were on the selling side, trying to anticipate the action of the government. Today the lightning like advance left no chance to get out of the predicament without a costly penalty.

LARGE BUYING OPERATIONS.

So large were the buying operations today that individual trades, no matter on what a scale counted, for little. Offerings were limited, and came only from the comparative few who were fortunate enough to be in a position to collect profits.

One of the freakish developments was that dealers for the most part regarded the cut of $$1.000 in flour prices as bullish instead of bearish. For the moment the view was generally accepted that such a small cut where a much larger one had been looked for would tend to lift the market for all commodities rather than to relieve the situation.

One of the reasons for the continued strength of the markets in the face of the $1.00 cut in flour prices was that it had figured by traders here yesterday that the government price of wheat to millers would be $1.75 instead of $2.26 and that this meant flour would be cheaper to the public by $2.00 a barrel.

Long after the usual period when a reaction from an excited advance might be looked for, the market kept strongly pointed upward. Prices swung backward at times, but in the main the big initial bulge was upheld.

MEXICANS RENEW OPAL MINING

Queretaro, Mexico—July 19 — (By Mail)—Opal mining in this district, an industry as yet untouched by foreign capital, has shown renewed activity with the close of the war and a normal number of men will soon be at work. The Queretaro district for more than sixty years had furnished virtually all of the opals sold in the republic, most of the valuable gems going to dealers in Mexico City who in turn ship them to the United States.

Primitive methods are still used, here to secure the gems. Dynamite is used to blast the gems from the ground. After the rock is broken into sizable pieces, it is taken to the shops for the grinding and polishing processes. Modern methods are not used, the rough stones merely being placed on spindles and applied to an ordinary grindstone worked by foot power. Vigorous rubbing on soft leather is the last step in completing an opal for the market.

200,000 CARS "OUT" MAY TIE-UP FACTORIES

Washington, Aug. 6. — With reports still coming in that striking shopmen refused to work and that the strike was spreading despite efforts of officers of the union, and the subsequent curtailment of train service and its effect on industry the railroad strike situation and its related subject, the high cost of living, continued today to take precedence over all other topics in congressional and administration circles.

MAY FORCE INDUSTRIES TO CLOSE

Already more than 200,000 cars are reported to be out of commission and unless rolling stock can be kept in running order, it was pointed out, mills, mines and factories and food product plants will be threatened with closing.

Locally, interest centered in the meeting of the house interstate commerce committee before which representatives of all the organized railroad employes were expected to support the Plumb plan which would eliminate private capital from railroad ownership and operation. The Plumb plan is before the house in the form of a bill providing a tripartite control of the roads introduced several days ago by Representative Sims of Tennessee.

BARNES PLANS TO LOWER FLOUR PRICE

Washington, Aug. 6. — These decisions were reached late Friday by the government agencies with regard to reducing the cost of living and allay the country's unrest:

President Wilson decided to address a message to congress recommending additional legislation to aid in reducing the cost of living.

TO PROSECUTE PROFITEERS.

Agents of the Department of Justice were ordered to ferret out all hoarders of necessaries and profiteers throughout the country. They are to be prosecuted under the food control act.

Director Julius H. Barnes of the grain corporation decided to maintain the government's guarantee on wheat at $2.26 a bushel as a reserve protection against a higher price later.

At the conclusion of a day's activity by the President, the sub-committee of the cabinet and by the Attorney General Palmer announcements were made of these immediate steps to be taken and of the government's wheat policy.

READJUST FLOUR PRICES.

In a statement showing why the price of wheat would rise but for the Government guarantee, Director Barnes promised a readjustment of flour prices at the expense of the national treasury as authorized by congress, if later developments indicated a world price for wheat lower than the guaranteed basis.

Immediate steps will be taken by the grain corporation to sell standard export flour in every community of the country in carload lots at a price not greater than $10 a barrel, Mr. Barnes announced. This price, he added, is lower by one dollar a barrel than any price ruling during the last four months.

WHEAT YIELD SHRINKS.

Using figures described as coming from the grain corporation's own private sources, Mr. Barnes predicted a shrinkge of "probably 400,000,000 bushels" in the wheat production for North America, 250,000,000 bushels of which is in the United States from the June forecast, and a further shrinkage in European wheat and rye production, of 300,000,000 bushels outside Russia.

Teh high cost of living was not discussed at the regular Tuesday's cabinet feeting, but Attorney General Palmer remained after the meeting to confer with the President and presented memoranda prepared by the sub-committee stating what the Government was doing and what it proposes doing under existing laws, and possible additional laws to cope with the situation.

Director Barnes in making public his statement regarding the world wheat situation said that the wheat crop in the United States is not short, and that 1,000,000,000 bushels was assured. There was no warrant, he said for statements that the price has been inflated. He announced that as far as he could see there was no hope for a reduction in the near future, and that he would not sell wheat at a price below the guarantee.

WHEAT PRICE FIGURE.

Figures were given by Mr. Barnes on the world price as follows:

Average price to the American farmer under guarantee, $2.05 a bushel.

Average farm price in the United Kingdom during the last calendar year, $2.28.

Average farm price for four big producing countries, United States, Canada, Argentina and Australia producing 1,500,000,000 bushels, $1.94.

Average grower price (largely guaranteed) of Europe's fifteen consuming countries, producing 800,000,000, $3.75.

Average of all wheat growers, weighted according to the size of their contribution to the total crop of the world, works out an average world grower price of $2.46.

Argentina wheat, with longer voyage and higher freight rates, the Barnes statement said, cost delivered in Europe, fully 50 cents more than American wheat delivered in Europe.

There is no support for "the theory of intimate relation and influence between wheat price and others foods," the statement said. Figures were presented to bear out Mr. Barnes' contention.

"Britain, France and Italy" the statement continued, "all have artificially reduced flour and bread prices, buying their raw material at the world's price and absorbing the loss by national taxes. Any sale of wheat or flour by us at reduced prices to them would only save their national treasuries, while depleting ours, without any possible reflection in the bread price to their people which is already fixed."

Mr. Barnes gave figures to show the relation of the price of wheat to the price of bread and contended that bread was the cheapest item in the diet. If all other foods were at the same rates as bread the annual cost of food for each person would be about $50, or a total national food bill of $5,000,000,000 instead of $15,000,000,000.

"This, of course, is impracticable," the statement continued, "but let us spend a few millions in teaching housewives, and through our schools, how and what to buy to get food value at reduced expenditure, and without sacrifice of taste and palatability."

WILSON TALKS TO CONGRESS FRIDAY

Washington, Aug. 6. — President Wilson will address congress in person Friday to make recommendations for legislation designed to aid in reducing the cost of living. This was learned today at the White House.

"MORE TEETH"

That one of the president's recommendations will be "more teeth" to make existing laws effective to cope with profiteering, in the general belief of officials in the absence of definite information from the White House.

The president it was suggested also, might ask Congress for a modified licensing system under which margins of profits could be controlled so as to bring an immediate reduction in prices.

WOULD TURN FIRING SQUAD ON PROFITEERS

Washington, Aug. 6.—Some sharp views of leaders of organized labor on economic problems were developed at the opening of hearings today before the house interstate commerce committee on labor's plan for the reorganization of the railroads. Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said labor might advocate a firing squad for profiteers and declared that unless congress found a solution of the high cost of living problem within a few months America would see "its very worst period."

"WILL DIE FIGHTING.

"The people are not going to starve," said he. "They are going to die fighting."

He added that the time would come when all prices would be fixed by the government.

Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, told the committee that if labor's plan for public ownership and co-operative operation of the railroads proved successful, they proposed to have it applied to other industries.

Labor, he said, would not be disappointed if it failed to have its railroad plan adopted immediately. It simply would grind itself for the educating of its workers to the point of which congress would be sufficiently impressed.

DUMP FRUIT TO KEEP PRICES UP.

Discussing profiteering, Mr. Stone said that from 18 to 25 carloads of fruits and vegetables were dumped at Cleveland every day simply to keep up prices.

Answering Representative Sanders, Republican, Indiana, Mr. Stone said the time was coming when the price of coal would be fixed by the government "so men won't get rich while others freeze."

EX-KAISER SPURNED ABDICATION ADVICE

(By The Associated Press.)

Berlin, Tuesday, Aug. 5.—The Neue Berliner Zeitung today publishes excerpts from a lengthy description by Prince Max of Baden, former imperial German chancellor, of a twenty-minute telphone conversation he had with the then Emperor William Nov. 8, 1918.

"The kaiser was very violent and frightfully unaware of the attitude of the troops to him," says the description. "We spoke of a military expedition against Berlin, but he refused to listen to my recommendation that he abdicate. Had the general staff told him Nov. 8 as it did Nov. 9, the truth about the army, I have no doubt that the kaiser would have abdicated the evening of the 8th.

"Then it would, in human calculation, have been possible for the majority Socialists to keep the workingmen in the factories. Certainly there would have been an uprising, but only by the radical element. The troops in Berlin would have conducted themselves more reliably.

"One of the most dangerous points of contact between the rioting workmen and the soldiers was the fact that the kaiser had not abdicated."

ALL TAKE BIG PROFITS IN SHOE TRADE

Washington, Aug. 6.—The high price of shoes was declared to be due to excessive profits taken by every factor in the industry, in a report by the federal trade commission to congress today. The packers were charged with having begun the pyramiding of shoe prices by an unwarranted increase in the price of hides, the supply of which they were said to control. On top of this, it was charged, the tanners have taken "exceptional profits" while the shoe manufacturers have demanded an "unusual margin" and the retailers have charged prices that are "not justifiable."

The commission's report covering the four-year period from 1914 to 1918 is the result of an inquiry begun more than a year ago, it was said. It has been in the president's hands for some time, and it is understood that he urged its speedy printing and transmittal to congress in connection with efforts of the government to combat the high cost of living.

HOW HIDES WERE BOOSTED.

To show that the packers during the last four years have made unwarranted increases in the price of "packer" hides, the report pointed out that the price differential between their hides and "country" hides—hides of a lower grade—has increased "far beyound the usual proportion." Charges of excessive profits against the tanner and the shoe manufacturer were said to be supported by "the high rates of return on investments" in both industries following the price increases.

"The public," said the report, "had to pay prices for shoes that not only could not be justified because retail shoe dealers took too much profit, but because the dealer had to pass on to the consumer the excessive profits received by the butchers for hides and also the excessive profits of tanners and shoe manufacturers."

PLAN TO CUT PRICES.

"Some relief from the intolerabble prices paid by consumers for shoes may be had," the commission said, "by

"(1) A rigid enforcement of the laws against monopolistic control of commodities.

"(2) Legislation forbidding producers of hides engaging in the tanning business, and,

"(3) The adoption of a device in the distribution of shoes that will acquaint the consumer with the selling prices of the manufacturer."

While noting that because of the increases in the costs of materials during the war period, "prices were bound to advance considerably even though no large profits were obtained," the commission said manufacturers and retailers all made "unprecedented profits."

"Even in 1914 the tanning industry was prosperous," said the report, "in perhaps a majority of cases earnings were ten per cent or more and only a few suffered losses. By 1916 and 1917 it was rather unusual for a company to earn less than twenty per cent. A similar comparison for manufacturers of shoes shows that more than twice as many made a profit of 220 per cent or more in 1916 and 1917 as did in 1914.

"The rate of return on investment to shoe merchants cannot be stated, but it is evident from the volume of business they had and from the gross margins of profit they secured per pair of shoes, that their business was very profitable."

ULTIMATUM BY ROUMANIANS

Exacting Demands for Supplies Made on Hungarian Government.

Paris, Aug. 6.— The Roumanians have served an ultimatum on the Hungarian government, according to messages reaching the peace conferences. The ultimatum, it is stated, makes demand far in excess of the armistice terms and gives the Hungarians until 8 a. m. today to comply with them.

NOT UNDER FOCH'S COMMAND.

French circles state that the Roumanian army is not under the command of Marshal Foch, the allied commander-in-chief, the Roumanian general refusing to accept orders from the French. The Roumanians have not been actively participating in the peace conference since Premier Bratiano took exception to the decision of the conference upon the principle guaranteeing the rights of minorities within national borders.

THE DEMAND.

In their ultimatum the Roumanians demand the reduction of the Hungarian army to 15,000 men and the surrender of 50 per cent of the harvest, animals and farm machinery and fifty per cent of the railway supplies. They also demand a large proportion of the Danube shipping, equipment and supplies for an army of 300,000 men, and rations for the Roumanian forces pending a peace settlement.

INDUSTRIAL FREEDOM DEMANDED BY LABOR

Warren S. Stone, B. of L. E. Chief, Blames "Autocrats in Industry" for High Cost of Living."

[By The Associated Press.]

Washington, Aug. 6. — Labor demands that America become the home of industrial freedom as it has become the land of political freedom, Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said today in appearing before the House Interstate Commerce committee in support of the railroad brotherhoods' plan for public ownership and private operation of the railroads.

BLAMES AUTOCRACY IN INDUSTRY

Declaring that American democracy is controlled by an autocracy in industry, Mr. Stone argued that there could be no solution and no lowering of the cost of living as long as consumers had to pay extortionate profits on their own earnings in purchasing the necessaries of life.

Labor's belief in the Sims bill embodying the railroad employes' plan for the solution of the railroad problem was declared by Mr. Stone to be profound. In this plan, he said the workers advanced to "a new crusade with the faith of the Pilgrims."

SPEAK FOR TWO MILLION.

"I speak as the voice of these two million men, delegated by them to announce to this committee, and to the people of the country that they are supporting this measure with all the strength and all the unity of purpose that can move so large a body of citizens," said Mr. Stone.

"Joined with us and represented by Mr. Morrison is the American Federation of Labor adding three million and a half men to that body of railway employes who instituted this movement.

"In the industrial development of this country great organizations of capital first appeared as employes. Individual workers, following the example set by capital, organized as employes.

"There has been a perpetual struggle by the workers to maintain a tolerable standard of existence; on the part of capital to amass greater profits.

MASS OF WAGE EARNERS.

"At times, both sides could ignore the needs of the public. But now the very growth of the labor organizations has brought into their ranks a great mass of the consumers. The large number of the wage earners now constitute a large percentage of the people. The extension of industry has changed the nature of the struggle.

CANNOT BETTER CONDITIONS.

"For whatever the worker receives in wages he must spend for the necessaries of life. In addition, he is always compelled to pay the employer an excessive profit on his own wages. The cost of his living is determined by the sum he earns plus the profit he is charged on his own labor. And, as a group, labor is forever prevented from bettering its lot because of the profits exacted by the employer. So long as consumers are forced to pay extortionate profits on their own earnings to a third interest there is no solution of the industrial problem.

SAYS "AUTOCRATS CONTROL"

"We find that this third interest absolutely controls the management of industry. It fixes wages and controls working conditions. It fixes the prices of commodities without regard to the needs of society, or the necessities of producers and consumers. We have a democratic form of government, but an autocratic control of industry.

"We exist under government, but by industry we live. Under such a system, the majority of a democracy can through their government enjoy only such rights and privileges as an autocracy in industry permits them to receive.

"The need of mankind for the products of industry must be accepted as the basic interest in all industry. The right of the worker who supplies that need demands like acceptance. This can only be achieved by permitting producers and consumers to share in control of the management of their means of existence. The machinery for attaining this result, we believe, is embodied in the plan outlined in the Sims bill."

AMERICAN LEAGUE PLAN NOT FORCED

Washington, Aug. 6. — Secretary Lansing told the senate foreign relations committee today that the American plan for a league of nations was "not pressed" at Versailles and never was presented to the full peace conference.

The secretary appearing at a public hearing of the committee, presumed that the draft was made by President Wilson and said that a copy might still be in the president's possession.

ON JAP AGREEMENT.

Secretary Lansing said the Lansing-Ishii agreement made to obtain re-affirmation by Japan of the open door policy in China was entered into by the American government without knowledge of the secret treaty between Japan and the allies for a transfer of German concessions in Shantung to Japan.

Mr. Lansing said it was true that President Wilson had cabled to the peace commission requesting that the confidential minutes of the proceedings of the commission on the league of nations be not furnished to the French senate.

Secretary Lansing said he personally would be opposed to furnishing the senate a copy of the transcript of the discussions before the league of nations section of the peace conference "on the general principle" that it might prove "irritating" to other nations.

ENGLAND AFTER THE PROFITEERS

London, Aug. 6.—Great Britain proposes establishing a central authority to deal with profiteering, it was announced by Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of reconstruction, at the resumption today of the inquiry by the House of Commons into the high cost of living and profiteering.

Sir Auckland said this central authority, according to the government's plan, would be associated with local and county tribunals. New powers would be asked and an increase in penalties for violations.

At the first sitting of the committee yesterday, George H. Roberts, the food controller, set forth the difficulties of dealing with the high cost of food and other necessaries declaring for one thing that deficient home production was responsible for some of the trouble, Great Britain not having the coal or manufactured goods to exchange for food.

ENGLAND PAYS UP MUNITIONS DEBT

Washington, Aug. 6.—By the payment of $228,176,123, Gritat Britain has settled her obligation to the American government for munitions negotiated during the war, the War Department has announced. Of the total sum paid, $13,600,000 was for Liberty motors; $13,274,000 for airplane spruce; $2,887,000 for wood distillates; $4,690,000 for powder and $651,000 as the British share in the cotton linters' pool.

The announcement was in the form of a letter addressed to Secretary Baker from Chester W. Cutshell, Mr. Baker's special representative in negotiations with the British minister of munitions.

ALLIES FIRM ON EX-KAISER'S TRIAL

London, Aug. 6.—The allies have not altered their decision to hold the trial of the former German emperor in London, Andrew Bonar Law, government leader, announced in the house of comomns today. He said no action could be taken until the German peace treaty is ratified.

The Weather

Chicago, Aug. 6. — Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours ending at 7 p. m. Thursday:

Thunder showers probable tonight and Thursday, except fair in southeast portion tonight; warmer in northeast portion tonight; cooler Thursday and Thursday night.

Local Observations.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p. m. Tuesday	84
7 a. m. Wednesday	72
Noon Wednesday	92
Highest Tuesday	90
Lowest Wednesday	70
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:49
Sun sets	8:06

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The weather map at 8 a. m. today showed:

Canadian Northwest—50 to 60, partly cloudy, Prince Albert, .08; Swift Current, .14; Regina, .12.

Northwest—58 to 74, generally clear, Williston, .38; Bismarck, .06; Moorhead, .20; Duluth, raining, .92.

West — 60 to 88, cloudy, Valentine, .02; North Platte, .10; Sioux City, .38; Des Moines, .01; Davenport, .18.

Southwest—70 to 88, cloudy.

Ohio Valley—70 to 78, cloudy, Indianapolis, .54; Cincinnati, .30; Columbus, .32.

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THREE PANA MEN BUY 160 A. FARM

Pana, Aug. 6.—Three Pana business men, John Hawkey, the wholesale commission dealer, and Messrs Miller and Johnson, grocers have purchased 160 acres of the M. R. Corbett farm just northeast of the city. The land is in good state of cultivation. The consideration was $35,000.

Mr. Corbett retains the balance of 194 acres on which is located the farm house and other improvements.

BENJAMIN SIMPSON DEAD.

Benjamin Simpson died Monday night at the hospital. He was 73 years old.

In 1850 Jeanette A. Smith of this city and Mr. Simpson were married.

His wife died here in 1917 and since her death he has resided alone, his son Roland having been in service for several years.

Mr. Simpson was a member of the Presbyterian church. The funeral was conducted at the home on Main street this morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. W. C. Mecker. Burial was in Mound cemetery.

Edwin Dixon is at Pleasant Hill.

Joss Clark has returned to his home in Assumption.

Fred J. Pierce and W. H. Alexander have returned from Terre Haute.

Charles William has returned to his home in Shirley, Ind., following a visit here.

Mrs. James Newcomb who has been a patient for several weeks is now at her home.

Mr. and Mrs Charles Barnett have received word from their son, Clarence, who is in the marines and has been in service overseas for many months that he is now with General Pershing's troops in London.

Household Fashions

YOUNG WOMEN AT STATE FAIR SCHOOL

Springfield, Aug. 6.—Young women from practically every county in the state are here today for the opening of the school of domestic science in the Women's building at the state fair grounds.

Mrs. H. A. McKeone of Springfield, secretary of the board of managers, recalled that the term was the twenty-first.

Two weeks of extensive study of scientific methods of cooking, table service, personal hygiene and home care of the sick, will be undertaken under the supervision of the instructors.

Mrs Katherine McMurray of Oberlin, Ohio, will direct the food lessons, Mrs. J. Y. Shamel of Gibson City will lecture and give demonstrations on nursing, and Miss Lucinda Obermeyer of Chicago will have charge of the dining room.

Each county is entitled to one pupil.

FRIVOLOUS BLOUSES FOR FESTIVE AFFAIRS

BY BETTY BROWN.

Ask almost any maiden what is her special dress desire at any moment and she will reply—"a new blouse!" They are irresistable, and here are three of the most charming models created this summer of 1919.

At the lower left behold a frilly confection of creamy net with net and lace frills at neck and cuff, and a very French touch of old blue ribbon hid among the frills.

In the center is sketched a most delectable affair—a cuirass model in a Town blouse created from indestructible voile.

At the right the fetching collarless blouse is fashioned from ecru colored organdie, with tiny frills and a band of pink tucks as its simple ornamentation.

HOT WEATHER LAUNDRY NO TASK TO APPALL

BY RUTH BAIRD,
Home Economics Expert, U. S. Dept. Agriculture.

"If it were not for the washing and ironing in the summer time I might enjoy myself," many housewives admit. It is true that washing and ironing in the summer often require much more of the busy housewife's time than her other duties and her strength will permit. These tasks are hard work for almost everyone and so far no magic way has been devised whereby they are made to be no work at all. However, they can be done with a minimum amount of time and energy if good equipment is used and sane rules of work observed.

A well-made washing machine,—run by electricity or other power if possible, but if not, by hand—tubs at a convenient height, a smooth, well-made washboard and a wringer are necessary for doing a family washing efficiently.

WASHING WHITE COTTON AND LINEN.

Sort clothes according to the kind of garment and amount of soiling, remove stains and soak in cool water one-half hour; or if convenient, soap the badly soiled parts, roll up, just cover with water, and let stand over night. Wash in clear, hot, soapy or cold water and naptha soap. Put in boiler of cold soapy water and boil 5 minutes. It helps to sterilize and whiten clothes. Rinse until no dirt or soap comes out into the water. Use warm water at first so soap will not harden. Wring, blue and starch if desired. Dry in sun, for it whitens them.

For the colored materials, silks, and woolens, use lukewarm water, both for washing and rinsing and a soap solution. Dry wrong-side out the shade.

Since the ironing is such a big task at best, lessen it as much as possible by rough drying the sheets and towels, by choosing outergarments of seersucker or materials that require little ironing, and crepe or knit undergarments that require no ironing. Luncheon cloths and napkins and occasional paper luncheon sets instead of the heavy linen table cloths and linen napkins lessen it, also.

LESSEN LABOR OF IRONING.

An electric or a gas iron does not make the task nearly so hot as do those heated on the range, and they are time-savers. For ironing have the cloths evenly dampened, use clean hot irons for the white and medium hot for colored and silk garments, and iron until thoroughly dry.

Send to the U. S. Department of Agriculture Iand for Thrift Leaflet No. 5, for it is full of suggestions for laundry work.

MACON.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Doolen and daughter Mildred and Margaret spent Sunday and Monday in Decatur the guests of O. L. Bromley and family.

Miss Lizzie Parker returned home Monday evening after spending several weeks visiting relatives in Kansas City.

William Parker, H. A. Montgomery and Lynn Taylor returned home Monday from Dexter, Mo., where they have spent several weeks erecting a barn on H. A. Montgomery's farm.

Miss Daisy Daggett has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Indianapolis.

Miss Velma Whitaker left Saturday to visit relatives near Dalton City.

Miss Dora Heavener of Piper City was the guest of Rev. Dundas and family last week.

Miss Heavener was the teacher of the Primary department of the Macon school last year, but will teach the primary department in her home town the coming term.

Miss Lillian Draper of Decatur was a Macon visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jaco spent Sunday with the former's parents in Mowaqua.

E. C. Wilson and wife of Decatur were Macon visitors Saturday.

Floyd Lanham who is ill at the Decatur hospital is reported improving.

Mrs. Harriet Dougherty has returned home after spending two weeks' with relatives in Findlay, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blalock and sons Bevil and Charles left Monday to spend two weeks with relatives in Fairfield.

Mrs. Lillian Montgomery, Mrs. Charles Smith and Mrs. Coyne were Decatur visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clarkson of Terre Haute, Ind., were visiting friends in Macon Tuesday. They were formerly resident of Macon.

Miss Edna Bonion of Forsyth is visiting relatives in Macon this week.

Mrs. Annie Lyons who has been nursing Lee Roy Smith who has been ill with typhoid fever left Tuesday for Bethany.

Luther Hughes who has been spending several weeks in Arkansas with his grandfather who is very ill, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Alice Griffith has returned home after spending the past month with relatives in Chicago.

Miss McWard of Taylorville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Auth this week.

Mrs. Oglesby and son Donald are visiting relatives near Vandalia this week.

PIGGLY WIGGLY
All Over the World

Luncheon Goods

Libby Potted Meat, can	6c
Underwood Potted Ham	22c
Savoy White Meat Tuna	23c
Black and White Albacore	14c
Library Red Alaska Salmon	27c
Libby's Corned Beef Hash	55c
Beech Nut Sliced Beef, glass	29c
Derby Deviled Ham	33c
Beardsley's Boneless Herring	17c
Portola Smoked Sardines	19c
Columbia Mustard Sardines	7c
Salmon Cutlets	28c
Van Camps Spaghetti, Italian style, can	12½c

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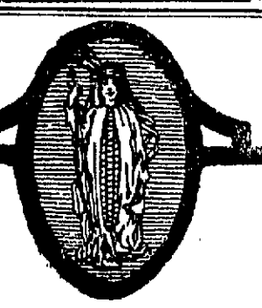

Special recipes are not necessary for using Mazola. Use any of your own—with *less* Mazola.

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AN UNUSUAL HALF DAY OF BARGAINS

With two important events in progress—the August Fur Sale and the Angust Shoe Sale—Tomorrow's special half Day offerings are given additional attractiveness. Remember—we close at noon tomorrow.

Thursday Forenoon's Contribution to The August Shoe Sale is an

$8.50 Brown Suede Pump at $5.85

This pump is of a rich dark brown suede, finished at instep with a pretty buckle.

The heel is a full Louis, covered, and the sole is a flexible, comfortable turn.

$8.50 is the figure at which they were regularly priced—for tomorrow forenoon, a pair,

$5.85

—Second Floor

Values to $18 in These

White Milan and Leghorn Hats at $5

And there's fully a dozen highly desirable styles for you to choose from.

These hats are of finest Milans and Leghorns, with trimmings of ostrich, feathers and wings.

Dainty—just the thing for summer wear. They formerly were priced as high as $18. Your choice tomorrow forenoon for

$5.00

—Second Floor

Thursday Forenoon—

75c Collars at 47c

This special reduction concerns a special group of pretty white organdie and Georgette collars which are slated for clearance.

Several delightful styles there are—all very fine and sheer and pretty. They formerly were priced up to 75c—choice, 47c.

Round Neck Collars, Half

This reduction applies to all round neck collars in colors. No reservations are made—take your pick tomorrow of the entire stock of round neck collars in colors—PAY HALF.

—Main Floor, Third Aisle

Toilet Specials

Blue Rose talcum powder, 75c a jar.

Van Tine's Sandalwood Talc, 25c a can.

Melba Lov-Me talc, 25c a can.

Three Flowers face powder, 50c a box.

Every Week Shampoo, 50c a bottle.

Fine washable wool powder puffs, 15c and 20c.

Nonspi—kills perspiration odors, 50c.

Luxor face powder, 75c a box.

Lov-Me Perfume, $1.25 an ounce.

"Thoro," the perfect skin cleanser, 35c.

—Main Aisle

$2.50 to $3.50

Porch Dresses, $1.98

Delightfully dainty styles, in pink and blue chambray. Coat effects, with belts of self material, and collars and cuffs of plain white.

There's a good variety of pretty models, formerly priced at from $2.50 to $3.50. Just for Thursday morning, your choice **$1.98**

—Second Floor

All Remaining

Wash Frocks at $8.98

Formerly Selling up to $15

Prettiest models, in sheer voiles, lawns, linens, and batistes. A good variety of styles, patterns and colors, each garment excellently made and trimmed.

Every frock that remains of the lines priced regularly up to $15, goes on Thursday forenoon at **$8.98**

—Second Floor

$2.50 to $3.50

Wash Blouses at $1.69

About five dozen of these very desirable blouses, made of good organdies, voiles, and madras. There's a good variety of styles; each blouse well made and finished.

They were priced formerly at $2.50 to $3.50—just for Thursday forenoon they are offered at, choice **$1.69**

—Second Floor

Summer Union Suits at 75c

A very special value, just for Thursday forenoon:

These union suits are of fine ribbed lisle in summer weight, with narrow strap shoulders; loose or tight knees.

All the regular sizes, so most every woman may be satisfactorily supplied.

Special, 75c

—Main Floor, 4th Aisle

More Children's Hats at 25c

These are wash hats, for littlest boys. We have them in white, green-and-white, and pink. Pretty little styles, formerly priced at 59c—choice, 25c.

—Second Floor

Odd Sweaters at $4.98

They were priced at $9—excellent value at that.

There are but a dozen, however, so we'll dispose of them cheaply tomorrow.

Mostly light colors—choice, $4.98.

—Second Floor

BASEMENT SPECIALS

For Thursday Forenoon

Coffee Percolators, aluminum, in good size, well made; $2.00 value at $1.48.

Garbage cans; galvanized; with bail and cover; special, $1.48.

Wash boilers; galvanized, complete with stamped cover; No. 8; special, $1.48.

Toilet Paper; 10c quality at four rolls for 25c.

Brooms; good quality, four sewed; extra well made; 85c value at 58c.

Oil Mop, worth $1.00, together with 50c bottle of oil, for only 89c.

Laundry Soap — white Borax Naphtha; special, 10 bars for 58c.

Borax Soap Chips, special, a package, 10c.

"Polly Prim" cleansing powder, a can, 8c.

Next Winter

don't wish that you had bought your furs now, but make your selections during our

AUGUST FUR SALE.

By doing so you will be permitted to choose from varieties infinitely better than they will be in October or November, and, not only that, you are now offered the advantage of a special reduction, whereby you

SAVE 15%

And, on the top of this saving, you are also permitted to pay A FIFTH at time of purchase, and the balance in convenient deferred payments, the last of which falls due in November.

Certainly, this sale presents an ideal opportunity for all women who need furs.

—Second Floor

Silk and Cotton

KIMONOS, 1-3 off

This reduction applies, not merely to a few garments, but to every silk and cotton kimono in our stocks at this time.

Many pretty styles to choose from—many beautiful patterns and colors.

Take your pick of the entire stock Thursday forenoon at reduction of ONE-THIRD from regular prices.

—Second Floor

$17.50 Congoleum Rugs, $14.95

These are the genuine "Gold Seal" congoleum rugs, in 9 x 12 size, and are seamless. They were priced at $17.50—just for Thursday forenoon, choice, $14.95.

—Third Floor

Odd Quaker Curtains, Half

Odd pairs of Quaker Craft curtains, in filet nets, Amerex weaves, voiles, marquisettes, etc., offered while they last during Thursday forenoon, HALF PRICE.

—Third Floor

Mattress Bargains

$16.50 felt mattress, well made, and filled with all cotton felt, special, $13.75.

$21.50 Dixie felt mattress; another good all cotton felt, special at $16.75.

—Third Floor

Wall Paper For Any Room

in prettiest patterns and colors, and in an excellent quality, may be purchased here at, a roll, 10c.

And, in addition to this, you may choose any of the better grades, paying as much as you wish, always with the assurance of getting the best quality possible for your money.

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MAY KEEP MILITIA SEVERAL WEEKS

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Fifty alleged race rioters will be placed on trial early in October for murder, assault with intent to kill, conspiracy to riot and carrying concealed weapons, it was announced today by the state's attorney. Speedier trial would be urged, it was stated but for a supreme court decision, which declares that a person must be given a "reasonable time in which to prepare a defense."

TROOPS STILL ON GUARD.

Ten thousand soldiers, police and deputy sheriffs are patrolling the "black belt" of the south side. The calm which followed the advent of the soldiery, it was thought, would permit the withdrawal of troops in a week or ten days, but events in the twenty-four hours led to doubts today as to when it would be policy to withdraw the soldiers. Several fights, and minor demonstrations and several small night fires of suspicious origin, the authorities said, showed that embers of the race hatred were smouldering and that it might be necessary for the soldiers to remain for several weeks.

Weddings

WILSON-BROSAM.

Miss Columbia Wilson and Lieut. L. L. Brosam were married at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Edward Adams, 1853 East Prairie avenue. Only a few friends of the young couple witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. G. W. Stoddard of the East Park Baptist church.

Following the ceremony the couple went to the home of the bride-groom, 1918 East William street, where his mother, Mrs. A. H. Jimison, served a wedding supper. The couple left Tuesday evening on a short wedding trip, after which they will be at home to their many friends at 820 North Church street.

Lieutenant Brosam was a member of Co. A, 124th M. G. battalion and while in France received the Croix de Guerre. He is now employed by the Decatur Railway and Light company with whom he held a position before going to war. The bride has been employed by the Decatur Coffin company. She is a member of the Tart Side Baptist church.

Sells House.

J. W. Swearingen sold his house in the 300 block North Church street to M. Marshall and G. W. Stoddard. The men just bought the house for the lumber. The house was built about fifty years ago and the front part of the house is all made of hard wood. Mr. Swearingen sold the house cheap, just to get it off the lot. Mr Marshall is going to build a four or five room cottage in the 2500 block Eats Cerro Gordo, and Mr. Stoddard is going to build a cottage at Eleventh and East Prairie.

GO 1,000 MILES WITHOUT TROUBLE

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gritton Back From Indiana Trip.

Mr. and Mrs R. E. Gritton, 538 East William street, have just returned from an automobile trip, in which they traveled 1,1000 miles without any kind of car trouble. They visited different places in Indiana and Illinois, among them Indianapolis Shelbyville, Turkey Run, Shades of Death, Covington, and Westville. They brought back with them Mrs. Gritton's sister, Mrs. Dr. B. Taylor of Westville. Her husband will come over next week in his car to take her home.

Personal

Mrs. Guy Rice and son, Chester, from Champaign are here visiting Mrs. Rice's mother, Mrs. W. R. Adams.

John W. Clugston has gone to Eureka Springs, Ark., to spend a month.

Mrs L. V. Barber, 344 East Division street, has gone to Strasburg, Ill., to attend the funeral of Tim Kearney, an old neighbor and family friend.

Mrs. Pearl Hendricks, 807 North Monroe street, has returned home from a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Shasteen and family of Chicago.

POLICE NOTES.

Elizabeth Hawkins and Martha Allen are under bond to appear for trial in Justice R. E. Dickinson's court Friday afternoon to answer a charge of trespass made by Mrs. Myrtle Wheeler. The charge is that they came on to the Wheeler place to pick blackberries and when ordered off refused to leave.

Practice Tonight.

Second grade children of St. Johannes' Lutheran school will meet at the school house at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening to rehearse songs for the funeral Thursday of their classmate, Lillian Wittke.

DEATHS.

GEORGE TUETING.

George Henry Tueting died shortly after midnight Tuesday night in his home, 1307 East Vanderhoof street, following an illness of several weeks from kidney and heart trouble.

The deceased was 71 years old but had been active until his illness, having been night watchman for the Wabash for the last fifteen years. He was born in Germany but came to this country when only a boy. Before removing to Decatur about fifteen years ago he was engaged in farming near Macon.

He is survived by his wife and three daughters. Mrs Robert Dresbach, Martha and Leonora Tueting, all of Decatur; also two sisters, Mrs. Henry Kempelmeier of Atterville, Ill., and Mrs. Henry Schilling of Nashville, Ill.

SETTLE TRI-CITY CAR STRIKE

Davenport, Ia., Aug. 6.—At a joint meeting of mayors and aldermen of Davenport, Rock Island and Moline, with officials of the Tri-City Railway and representatives of the union, an agreement was reached at 1 o'clock this morning settling the street car strike in the three cities and connecting interurbans.

The bone of contention has been the refusal of the Davenport city council to grant the company an increased fare. At last night's meeting this position was changed. Now the Davenport council pledges itself to grant the company the same fare in Davenport as the Illinois public utilities commission allows it in the Illinois cities.

It will require thirty days to change the fare by ordinance. In the mean time the company agrees to operate on the present five-cent fare. The men are to receive a maximum wage of 60 cents an hour.

HOLD INQUEST.

The inquest over the bodies of Ralph and Robert Lambert, the two young men drowned Monday evening, was held Tuesday afternoon by Coroner Leon Monson. The verdict of the jury was accidental drowning.

INCORPORATED.

Incorporation papers of the Decatur Aeroplane Co. with $2,000 capital stock were filed with Secretary of State L. L. Emmerson Monday. The incorporators are J. C. Shaw, A. E. Catron, R. B. Shaw and Sherman Cox.

Tobacco Hardens the Arteries, Over Taxes the Heart and Shortens Life

Says Dr. Connor, Who Suggests a Simple Test to Find If It Is Hurting You. Can You Stand It?

New York—Dr. Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital, says: Hundreds of thousands of men who smoke and chew and who believe themselves healthy are suffering from progressive organic ailments. They would never have been afflicted had it not been for the use of tobacco and most of them would soon get well if they would only stop the use of tobacco.

The best known habit forming principal of tobacco is nicotine, but the most deadly and demoralizing is furfural. Both are deadly poison, which, when absorbed by the system slowly, but surely, affect the nerves, membranes, tissues, vital organs and vitality of the body.

The harmful effect of tobacco varies and depends on circumstances and the individual. In some it causes general debility, others catarrh of the throat, indigestion, constipation, extreme nervousness, sleeplessness loss of memory, lack of will power, cowardice and fear, mental confusion, etc.; in others it causes heart disease, bronchial troubles, hardening of the arteries palpitation of the heart, tuberculosis, blindness, cancer and the common affliction known as tobacco heart.

If you use tobacco in any form you easily detect its harmful effects by making the following simple tests: Read aloud a full page from a book. If your voice becomes muffled, hoarse and indistinct and you must frequently clear your throat, the chances are that your throat is affected by catarrh and it may be the beginning of very serious catarrhal trouble. Next, in the morning, before taking your usual smoke, walk up three flights of stairs at a regular pace, then stop. If you find that you are out of breath, if your heart beat is forced, trembling or irregular, you may be the victim of a functional or organic heart trouble. If you feel that you must smoke or chew to quiet your nerves, you are a slave to the tobacco habit and are slowly poisoning yourself with the insidious deadly drugs, nicotine and furfural. In either case, you have just two alternatives—keep on with your self-poisoning process regardless of the dangers, and suffer the consequences, or rid yourself of the habit and escape the dangers.

You can overcome the craving and stop the tobacco habit in a very short time by using the following inexpensive formula: Go to any drug store and ask for Nicotol. Take one tablet after each meal and in a comparatively short time you will have no desire for tobacco. The craving will have left you. With the nicotine poisoning out of your system your general health will quickly improve.

Note: When asked about Nicotol, one of our leading druggists said: Nicotol is truly a wonderful remedy for the tobacco habit. It is way ahead of anything we have ever sold before. We are authorized by the manufacturers to refund the money to every dissatisfied customer and we would not permit the use of our name unless the remedy possessed unusual merit." Nicotol is sold in this city under an iron-clad money-back guarantee by all up-to-date druggists, including Decatur Drug Co., Kraft and E. A. West.

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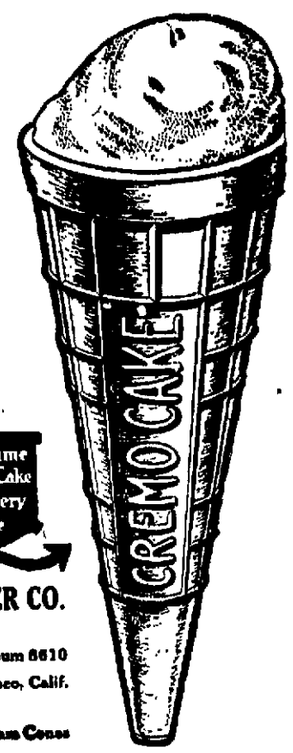

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Lot 1.

Values from $5 to $11 in ladies' oxfords, pumps and straps. Included are whites, in kid and canvas; blacks, browns and patent leathers. The selling price is more than two-thirds off the regular prices of some of these numbers **$3.45**

Lot 2.

In this lot men will find black and brown oxfords which have regularly sold for as much as $12. The regular prices of others range down to $5. Both lace and button models are included. The materials and workmanship are all that could be desired **$3.95**

Reductions on All Summer Shoes

Numbers which have been selling for $12.50, $12 and $11, sale price	$9.95	$5.50 and $5.00 numbers, at our regular prices, will go at ...	$3.95
Models which have regularly sold for $10, are offered in this sale	$8.95	$4.50, $4.00 and $3.50 values have been marked down to	$2.95
Real $9 values have been cut to sell, while they last, for	$7.95	Regular $3.00 and $2.75 values, priced to sell at	$2.15
Numbers which have been selling for $8 and $8.50, are now ..	$6.95	$2.50 and $2.25 values, priced for quick clearance	$1.95
Regular $7.50 and $7 values, may be bought in this sale for..	$5.95	$2.00 and $1.75 values may be bought in this sale for	$1.45
$6.50 and $6.00 values will now sell at only	$4.95	$1.50 values will be sold for only	$1.15

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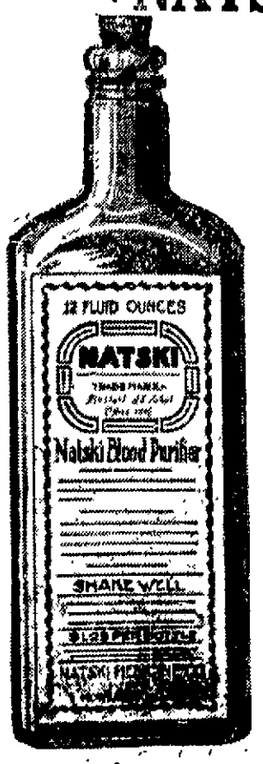

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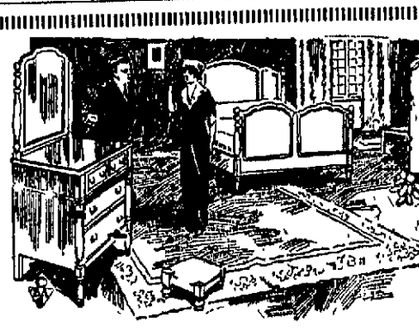

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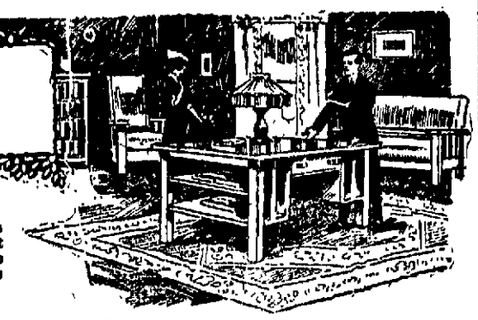
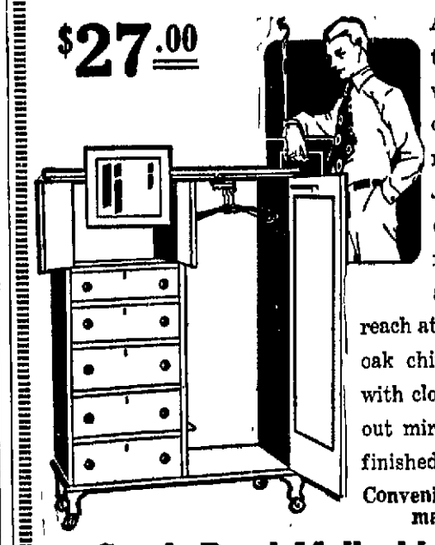


Why worry when you can have furniture and other house necessities as good as the best? All you need is a few dollars as an initial payment on any of these pieces. The balance can be paid in small amounts. So easy is our credit plan that what you would ordinarily spend for trifles will amply provide you with the essentials of a good living.

A Chifferobe for Convenience

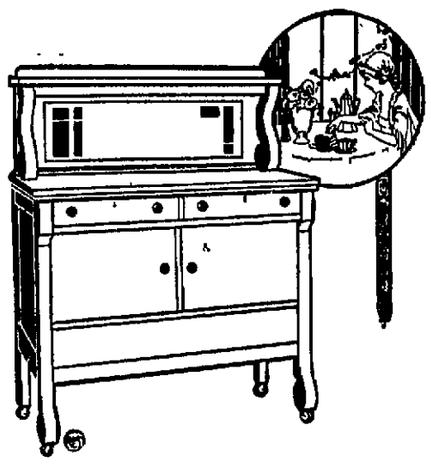
$27.00



A place for everything! Your entire wardrobe can be accommodated in this roomy chifferobe. And think of the convenience it offers. All your needs are within easy reach at all times. This solid oak chifferobe is equipped with clothes-hangers (without mirror, as illustrated), finished in golden oak.

Convenient credit terms may be arranged.

Durability and Refinement in This Colonial Buffet



$42.00

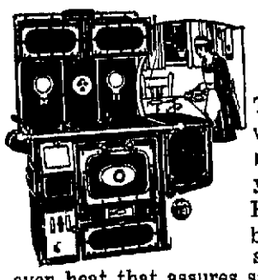
Considering its quality, the value presented in this Colonial Buffet is indeed an uncommon one. This buffet offers all the beauty of higher priced furniture, together with the advantage of sturdy construction, which means long service. A good value at the above price.

TAPESTRY ROCKERS

Our Price $48.00

These over-stuffed rockers cannot be beat for solid comfort. The illustration of the wing rocker type, upholstered in good grade tapestry, with a remarkable spring seat.

South Bend Malleable Steel Range



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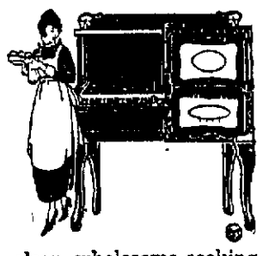
The lusciousness of well cooked food is by the quality of your kitchen range. Here's a stove that burns either hard or soft coal with an even heat that assures satisfactory cooking. Regulation size oven, with large reservoir. A Quality Stove means good food.



Quick Meal Gas Range $76.50

For real sanitation in the kitchen the gas range is ideal. No grime or grease, but clean, wholesome cooking is the result if you install this range in your kitchen. Equipped with oven and separate broiler.

CONNECTED FREE.

Kitchen Table, 36-inch Top

Clean, sanitary and attractive is this table. Well made of seasoned material, and will prove convenient and useful in many ways. A genuine bargain **$4.25**

Make Your Kitchen Cozy and Your Cooking Delightful for

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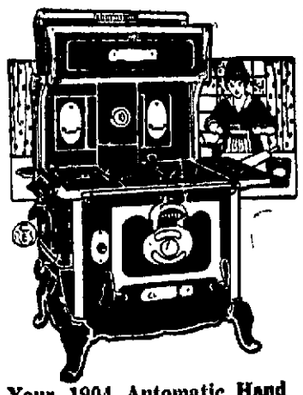

That an even temperature is best for cooking as well as heating is proven by this Hoosier range, which burns either hard or soft coal with equal satisfaction. The large, roomy oven will meet with the housewife's approval, as will the neat metal trimmings and highly polished surface.

Make Your Wash Day Easier — 1904 Automatic Hand Power Washer Price

$14.00

This washer will do your work much easier and better than any other washer. It is easily and quickly operated.

Recommended to give years of service.

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CHARLES MITCHELL DIES OF INJURY

Neck Broken in Dive Into River Monday.

IN MILITARY SCHOOL

Funeral to Be Conducted Friday.

Charles Mitchell, seventeen year old son of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Mitchell, 1166 West Eldorado street, died at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning in the Wabash hospital as a result of the injuries sustained about noon last Monday, when he dived into the swimming hole at the Decatur Hydraulic Sand and Gravel Co., southwest of the city. His neck was broken.

His death was not unexpected although he had been conscious to the very last minute. Mitchell in company with his cousin, Clifford Walby of Los Angeles, had just gone to the place for a swim. This is the same pool in which the Lambert brothers were drowned Monday evening.

IN MILITARY SCHOOL.

He was born in Rockford on March 23, 1902, but had resided here for about seven years. On leaving the grade schools here, he attended Fishburne Military Academy in Virginia, completing two years course in one. Last year he remained in Decatur and attended the Millikin Academy in the third year. During the summer, he had been employed by the Wabash but was expecting to return to Fishburne Academy soon.

He leaves his parents and one sister, Catherine. The exact hour for the funeral has not been set but it will be held some time Friday afternoon in the residence, 1166 West Eldorado street, and will be conducted by Rev. J. C. White of the Episcopal church at Springfield. Interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery.

The body was removed from the hospital to the Wikoff chapel and will be taken to the home Friday morning.

Find Auto.

Joyriders took Warren Cox' automobile, which he had parked in the 200 block East Main street Tuesday evening. The police found it later on Wabash avenue near Morgan street.

HENRY STEVENS TO GO TO EUROPE

Being Sent by New York Bank to Investigate Conditions.

Henry Stevens, of New York city, who has been in Decatur visiting his grandmother, Mrs. D. H. Conklin, 310 West Prairie avenue has returned to his home in the east from where he will sail in a short time for Europe.

Mr. Stevens, who lived in Decatur a number of years ago, went from here to Chicago where he entered a bank. Later, after having gone up the ladder quite rapidly, he went to New York to the National Bank of Commerce and this bank is now sending him to Europe to make a personal investigation of the situation there as a basis of knowledge for the bank of conditions for the financing of the re-construction work abroad.

SCOVILL'S ANNUAL AUGUST SALE

We Are Keeping Faith With The Public

We Opened Our August Sale August 1st

NO 10 to 50% discount on odds and ends.

NO 10 to 50% discount on broken suites.

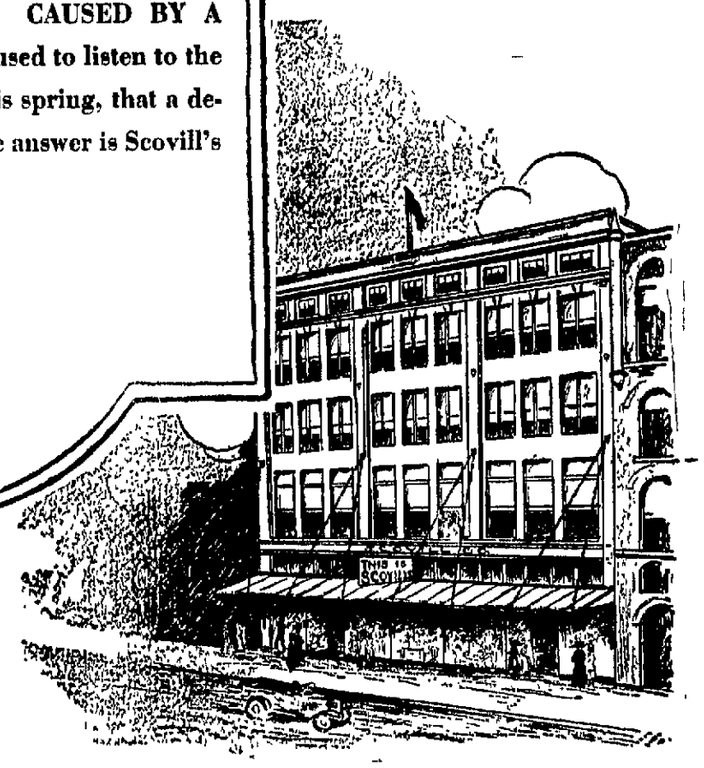
NO 10 to 50% discount on a few stickers (excuse the term.)

BUT—

a straight common sense reduction on every piece of furniture in our entire store.

BUSINESS SUICIDE

to conduct an August Sale in the face of such conditions that exist at the present time. It would be for the average Furniture merchant. But the HOUSE OF SCOVILL finds itself with ample stock to hold a sale and yet have abundance on hand for our regular fall and spring business. CAUSED BY A HARD HEADED BUYER who refused to listen to the warning of others, last fall and this spring, that a decline was due. He bought and the answer is Scovill's Annual August Sale.



What Our Buyer Saw At The Furniture Market

Buyers clamoring for goods; buying as if they had lost their mind; paying any price the manufacturer asked and begging like children to PLEASE ship them furniture.

It was pitiful to see some cases, for we knew their pleads were useless for the manufacturer then had more orders than he could fill.

It was then our buyer's heart felt light for he recalled the days last fall and this spring when the wisest of business men refused to buy. He did buy and to such an extent that Scovill has the goods.

Therefore Scovill's August Sale

Bright's

AUGUST FUR SALE

SAVINGS OF 20% TO 33% On Prices That Will Prevail After September 1st

Our Most Exceptional Sale of Fine Furs Now In Progress

Fur Coats, Wraps, Dolmans, Coatees, Scarfs, Throws,

Individual Pieces and Sets

This annual selling event offers unlimited opportunity to women to buy high-grade furs at prices extraordinarily low in the face of the certain knowledge that prices on furs will go higher and higher.

The garments offered give double advantage in that they represent the first and best work of designers and the pick of the furs of last winter's trappings.

This is to be the greatest sale in the history of BRIGHT'S. The demand for fine furs is greater than ever before. In answer to this demand the furriers have far excelled their previous efforts—

Fashion's Latest Decree

The inspiration of master American designers—executed by master American furriers.

The advantage of early selections—the master furriers prefer to work only with the finest pelts and, therefore, in making new garments, choose first those skins which they know to be most exceptional in quality. It is these garments, authentic in style and workmanship, with the added assurance of the choicest pelts, that we offer during this sale.

This is an opportunity to purchase exceptional garments at an appreciably lower price than would ordinarily be possible.

After This Sale Prices Will Be From 20% to 33% Higher

Selections made up to September 1st, inclusive, may be delivered at once and charged on the bill presented Nov. 1st.

Or, you may pay a small part of the purchase price down and the rest in deferred payments. The Furs will be carefully stored for you without charge.

In View of These Liberal Terms, We Are Obliged to Withdraw the Usual Privilege of Exchange or Returns for Credit.

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SPORTS

WANT DECATUR IN THREE-I LEAGUE

Committee Coming Soon to See A. of C.

RE-FRAME CIRCUIT

Say Central League Will Take Towns.

It is announced a committee from Bloomington and Peoria is to visit Decatur, Danville and Springfield in the hopes of interesting these towns in Three-I baseball. Danville is talking about it, so is Bloomington and Peoria, but there has been little or no talk in Decatur.

The Bloomington Pantagraph says: "Within a few weeks committees from this city and Peoria representing the baseball fraternity of the two towns will meet in Danville, Decatur and Springfield in the hope of reviving baseball in those cities. Prospects for a re-organized Three-I league and a new central league, which may steal one or two of the Present Three-I clubs are taking new life. A few weeks ago the story was circulated as a mid-season rumor. Local baseball men fear that the Three-I will break up and will not be able to get enough towns for a good circuit next year.

"The Chamber of Commerce of each city will be asked to boost baseball. Local baseball men will ask members of the Peoria Fans Association to assist them in the "gathering in" of at least two cities for next year's circuit and to promote the Fans Association idea in the hope of reviving baseball where it has been dead for the past few years."

AIRPLANES WILL BRING PLAYERS

Rantoul Team to Meet Staleys Sunday.

LAMBRECHT TO STAY

Will Not Accept St. Louis Cardinal Offer.

The Rantoul Aviators have been booked for the ball game at Staley field Sunday afternoon. Manager McGinnity just closed negotiations with the flyers Wednesday morning and in a letter received from them, they stated they would come to Decatur in aeroplanes. They claimed to have a very strong team.

Pitcher Lambrecht has informed the Staley management that he doesn't expect to take the St Louis Cardinal job, especially since it is a rather unfavorable time of the year to break away from his present place.

Run Meet Today.

Cleveland, O, Aug. 6—If track conditions permit, yesterday's postponed Grand Circuit racing program will be decided at North Randall today. Only one heat had been raced when rain interfered causing the program to be extended through Saturday.

The press stake of $3,000 for 2 17 trotters is on the card.

GOOSE HILL IS FOR JIMMY

They're roping off the field at St. Louis these days to take care of the Sunday crowds. St. Louis is crazy over the team. Jimmy Burke, native of the Goose Hill district of the Missouri metropolis, is mighty popular in the home town. He's giving the fans the best baseball they've seen in years.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN.

Club.	Won	Lost.	Pct.	Games Behind
Chicago	58	35	.625	
Cleveland	52	41	.559	6
Detroit	52	41	.560	6
New York	50	40	.556	6½
St. Louis	49	41	.551	7½
Boston	42	50	.462	15
Washington	39	56	.411	28
Philadelphia	25	64	.281	31

NATIONAL.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Games Behind
Cincinnati	62	29	.681	
New York	57	29	.663	2½
Chicago	48	41	.539	13
Brooklyn	44	45	.494	17
Pittsburgh	43	48	.477	18½
Philadelphia	33	52	.388	26
Boston	34	53	.394	26½
St. Louis	32	55	.368	28

THREE-I.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct
Bloomington	58	34	.630
Peoria	59	37	.602
Evansville	46	42	.523
Rockford	48	47	.505
Terre Haute	37	56	.398
Moline	32	61	.344

GAMES TODAY.

American.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.
Detroit at Washington.

National.
New York at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
Boston at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

Three-I.
Terre Haute at Peoria.
Evansville at Moline.
Bloomington at Rockford.

TUESDAY'S RESULTS.

American.

Boston, 7-12-0; Cleveland, 5-12-0. Batteries—Hoyt, Russell and Schang Bagby, Morton, Klepfer, Uhle and O'Neill.

Detroit, 2-8-0, Washington 1-7-0. Batteries—Boland and Ainsmith; Johnson and Picinich, Gharrity.

Other games postponed on account of rain.

National.

St Louis, 6-13-0, New York, 2-6-3. Batteries—May and Dilhoefer; Douglas, Dubuc and Gonzales.

Cincinnati, 7-11-2, Brooklyn, 2-8-2. Batteries—Ring and Rariden; Mitchell, Smith and Miller.

Philadelphia 2-8-1; Pittsburgh, 0-5-2. Batteries — Meadows and Tragresser; Adams, Mayer and Blackwell.

Boston, 3-12-0, Chicago, 1-9-2. Batteries—Rudolph and Gowdy, Carter, Bailey, Martin and Killifer.

Three-I.

Moline, 6-10-2, Evansville, 5-7-1. Batteries—Keiser and Kohls; McWeeny and Rigsby.

Peoria, 9-15-1, Terre Haute, 5-12-0. Batteries — Murchison and Marshall, Grimm, Cash and Manchester.

Rockford, 4; Bloomington, 1.

NEW PREACHER FOR SULLIVAN CHURCH

Sullivan, Aug. 6.—Rev. W. C. Logan of Plymouth, Ind, has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian church. He will enter on his duties on Sept. 1.

The church has been without a pastor for several months. Rev. Mr. Logan will move his family here soon.

Harve Creech has sold his residence property to E T. Ray. Mr. Creech has purchased the Thuneman property on East Jackson street and will move to this residence in a few days. He expects to remodel this residence.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Pearson Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Andrew A. Corbin was in Decatur Tuesday.

Showers fell here Tuesday forenoon.

Mrs. Green Davis returned to her home at Decatur Wednesday after a visit here with her father, Squire Woodruff.

Carl Wolf, Amos McCune and Guy Booker drove three new Ford cars back from Springfield Wednesday where they had been shipped for the Ford garage. They are expecting to get three more in Decatur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coventry and son were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs Charles Eddington and children returned to their home at Louisville, Ky, after an extended visit here with Mrs. Eddington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cummins.

MORRISONVILLE.

Louis Swinger went to Alexander, Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swinger.

Mrs. C F Bailey left Sunday for her home in Slagle, W. Va. after a visit here with her father John Lowe.

Mr and Mrs. K E Turner and baby and Mr. and Mrs. C R Shake and daughter, Aris were in Springfield Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Mary Dunfee went to Virden Sunday to visit relatives.

Miss Edith Cloyd arrived home Sunday from Girard, Kan., where she was attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. J T. Cloyd of Decatur were also here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T C Cloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leach of Stonington were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs W. F Nall.

Miss Dona Eichoff and Will Eichoff were in Litchfield Sunday visiting Miss Mable Gundaman.

Mr and Mrs. John Hendricks were in Harvel Sunday visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs Edward Diller were in Hillsboro Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunkirk and children were in Blue Mound Sunday visiting Mr and Mrs. John Honnies.

Dr. G. C. Klein was here from Kincade Sunday visiting J. M Storm.

Mrs. Wilmouth Bullard and Mrs. Hubert McFee were in Springfield Saturday.

Mrs. John Morris and children of Hillsboro are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patton.

S. S. Wychoff was in St. Louis Sunday and Monday.

Lloyd Weatherford left Monday for Colorado Springs, Colo., to visit his wife at the home of Mr. and Mrs C. V. Potts.

Little Josephine Johnson entertained five little girls at the home of her grand mother, Mrs Martha Shull, Monday afternoon, it being her fifth birthday. Those present were Lorna Pearson, Marcella Windsor, Maurine Clickener, Bernice Oglesby and Winona Stocks. The little tots had a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kussmaul and daughter Miss Wilhelminia, of Springfield, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Manning.

PIATT BOARD OF REVIEW MAN QUITS

Monticello Aug. 6—John A. Smith of this city who was appointed a member of the board of review last year has resigned owing to the illness of his wife. W. J. Porter who has been clerk of the board was appointed to fill the vacancy. Farke Simer, son of Deputy County Treasurer J. R. Simer, was selected as clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris left Wednesday for their home in Idaho Falls, Idaho, after a visit with relatives here and vicinity. They were accompanied by Ralph and Miss Nellie Branch of Champaign, who are going to Colorado.

Miss Nellie Hunter is taking her vacation and left last Friday for Dewitt, where she will spend the month of August with an aunt.

William Kirkland and family and Miss Adella Evans left Wednesday morning and motored to Winona Lake, Ind., where they will spend a week.

Ernest Dresback who has been in DeLand for several months, has returned to Monticello and Monday began work in the east side meat market.

Mrs. F. L. Edie is in Bloomington where she was called by an accident to her mother, Mrs. R Haffner. Mrs. Haffner had been cleaning and stepped to the porch to shake her dust mop and in leaning against the railing it gave way and she fell about four feet to the ground. Both elbows were shattered and bones in her left arm above and below the elbow broken. She was taken to the hospital and has been suffering intensely.

Supervisor and Mrs. J. M Branch of White Heath were in the city Tuesday afternoon.

J. M Donahue, wife and son, Joe and Mrs. Donahue's father, F. P. Scharle of Chicago left Tuesday morning on a motor trip to Niagara Falls and other points. They expect to be gone two weeks.

POSTPONE ANNUAL SHERIFF'S MEETING

Ottawa, Aug. 5.—Because of the race rioting in Chicago, Sheriff Peters of Cook county, president of the Illinois sheriffs' association, has postponed for two weeks the annual convention of the organization, which was to have been held here this week, according to information received yesterday.

ANNUAL MEETING UNION CHEMICAL

Dr. J. W. Sanders Elected President of Local Company.

Dr. J. W. Sanders was elected president of the Decatur Union Chemical Co., at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the company Tuesday. L. J. Kaiser was elected vice president, C. J. Tucker, treasurer, and E. C. Buxton, secretary and attorney.

The board of directors of the company consists of J. W. Sanders, C. J. Tucker, F. J. Parr and L. J. Kaiser.

At the meeting Tuesday the name of the corporation was simplified by dropping the first word and it is now formally known as the Union Chemical Co.

A dividend of ten per cent in stock was also declared.

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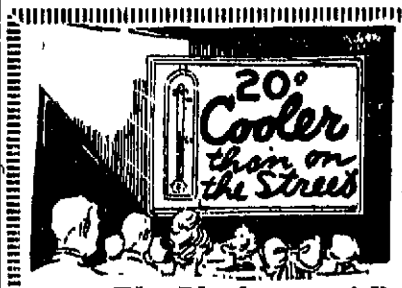

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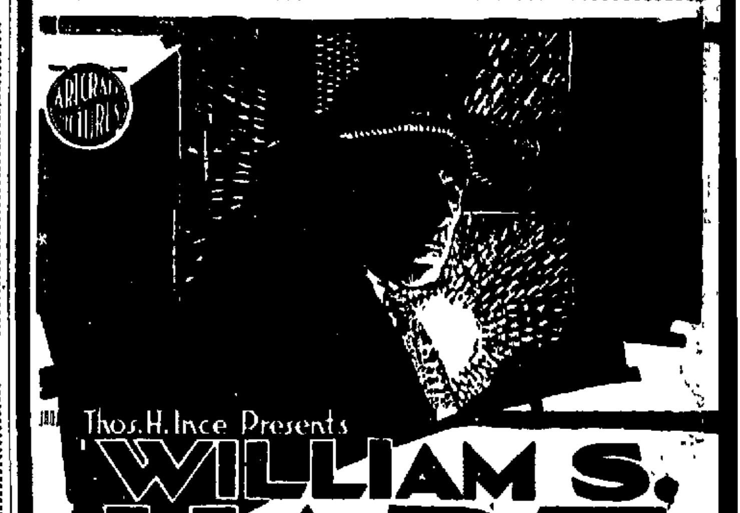

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The police came but "Big Bill" didn't need them—finished the job before they got there. Come to see that fight!

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SOCIAL SERVICE EXPENSE $1,500

High Rents Causing Some Calls for Help.

The total expenses for the various philanthropic organizations included in the Social Service Bureau for the month of July aggregated about $1,500 according to the report of the treasurer of the bureau, W. Elmer White, at the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors Tuesday evening

Increase in rents is causing some calls for help from people who otherwise would have made a successful right against the excessive living costs

DEPARTMENT REPORTS.

Miss Beatrice Sanders, executive secretary, reported a total of $178.62 spended in her department and loans paid to the amount of $61.25.

Mrs William Barnes in her report of the Day Nursery gave a total attendance of 625 for the twenty-six days the nursery was open during July. Thirty-one families were represented among the children in the nursery, the largest number of children on any one day being thirty with thirteen there on the day of the lightest attendance.

NEED NEW HOME.

Mrs. Guy Scovill in her report from the Welfare Home expressed a desire as well as a need of getting into the new home as quickly as possible The total attendance at the home during July was 317 and 903 meals were served during the month. The fireless cookers which had been recently supplied had been of great benefit during the extremely hot days.

W. Elmer White, treasurer of the bureau, reported a total balance on hand of $9,221.

SILVER SERVICE TO CAPT. KRIGBAUM

Reserve Militia Honors Leader for Work and Also as Wedding Gift.

Following drill Tuesday evening the members of the reserve militia presented Captain Howard Krigbaum a silver service. The service was not only for the work that Captain Krigbaum did as company leader but is partly as a wedding gift, as Captain Krigbaum was just recently married

There are only about sixty-five members in the company at present but many more enlisted. It is thought that probably the company will disband about the first of October.

The company meets regularly every week and because of the hot weather the drills are short and the time is devoted to military tactics.

MAROA.

Dr and Mrs Boyd of Bloomington visited over Sunday with the family of J. A. Worsham.

Work has been started on the new residence of George Butler.

Joseph Morganthalor has leased the George A. Jamison farm of 80 acres four miles east of Emery and will move there March 1.

George Wilder and wife returned home Monday from a trip to Iowa and Nebraska.

Ivan Norris returned home Tuesday from Missouri where his father owns a large farm. He expects to move to this farm next spring

C F Schenck left Monday for Houston, Tex near which he owns a farm.

The Maroa Oil company brought suit against James Tozer, who operates a lunch car next door to the postoffice to collect the amount subscribed by Tozer for oiling Main street. The case was heard Tuesday afternoon by a jury in Justice Mettler's court Tozer's defense was that the company did not put as much oil on the street in front of his place of business as was done in other places. The jury held that his contention was right and brought in a verdict in his favor. The members of the jury were C M Currier, John Marsh, H. A. Schultz, Robert Malone, Samuel Heinle and Jacob Lindsay.

J. S Stoutenborough is building a new house on his farm southwest of town occupied by Carl Rose.

MOWEAQUA.

Mrs Walter H Silvr arrived from Enid, Okla., Saturday to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Myers.

Misses Marjory and Mary Dobson are visiting relatives in Corro Gordo this week.

Marvil Knapp of Blue Mound was the guest Sunday of C. A. Davis and family.

Mrs V Snyder, Jr, has as her guests Prof Clarence Snyder and wife of Lake Junaluska, N. C.

Mr and Mrs Charles Kiecher of Blue Mound spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cutler.

F. L. Drew and family are expected home from the west this week

Miss Dorothy Dobson is spending the week with Frances Snell in Decatur

Wesley Beaumont was a Pana visitor Saturday. His mother is very ill

Haldon Gregory spent Sunday with home folks

Mr. and Mrs. George Rollins were Decatur visitors Saturday

Miss Marie Rice of Decatur was a week end guest of home folks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs Harry Bramblette Sunday, Aug. 3, a daughter.

Mrs. H. F. Day and daughter, Miss Edna, will leave Thursday for an extended visit with relatives in Newark, N J.

Mrs Herbert C. Wooters and Mrs Therman Adams were hostesses to a large number of friends Tuesday afternoon. The affair was in the nature of a shower given in honor of Mrs. Earl Cheatham formerly Miss Frances Crain The bride received many handsome gifts Dainty refreshments were served. Mrs John Workman of Canada was an out of town guest.

Word has been received that Mrs C. M. Snyder is able to be out of the hospital and will return home soon.

Mrs Hedrick has sold her residence in the north part of town to Ed Bilyeu, consideration $2500.

Mrs. John Workman of Canada arrived Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Charles Crain.

John Angel of Decatur was a Moweaqua visitor Tuesday.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

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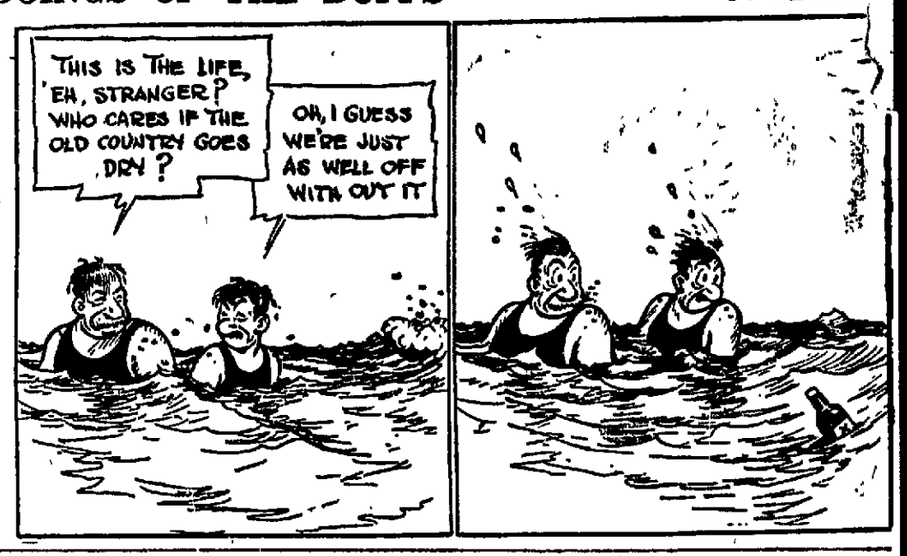

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Store Will Be Closed All Day Thursday, August 7th, to

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Ladies' Silk Hose

Ladies' fibre silk hose. Well made with fine lisle top. Regular 59c value on sale at **43c**

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Summer net and coutil corsets are included in this lot. Elastic hose supporters **45c**

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Plain blue chambray bib style overalls. Pockets. A very special bargain at **42c**

The Boss Says: Empty The Racks of All Summer Apparel

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Tan, Navy, Copen, Taupe and Black Silk Poplin Skirts that you would expect to pay $5 for. They all have fancy pockets and belt and are button trimmed. On sale at **$2.98**

PORCH DRESSES MUST GO

Printed voile dresses with collars of organdie. Gingham dresses with collars of pique and organdie. These dresses are actually worth at least $5 but the BOSS SAYS get rid of them at the low price of **$2.95**

ANOTHER LOT OF WASH DRESSES

White voile dresses that are daintily trimmed with lace or embroidery. Also some wonderful printed voiles in the latest round or V neck style. Regular $10 values on sale at **$6.95**

ALL SILK DRESSES Must Go

Dainty models in Taffeta with Georgette sleeves in all the wanted colors. Embroidery trimmed with collar of contrasting color. Also flesh and white crepe de chine with Georgette sleeves. Front of skirt and waist trimmed with tucks. These dresses are worth up to $19.95, on sale at **$9.90**

PARTY DRESSES

ONLY 6 DRESSES IN THIS LOT and they are remarkable wonderful bargains for 6 women. They are made of Net Lace and Silk Chiffon. Slightly soiled. Only one to a customer at the low price of **$1**

LOOK WHAT 25c WILL BUY WHILE THEY LAST

FRIDAY ONLY

6 BARS KIRK'S FLAKE WHITE SOAP **25c**

Ladies' Union Suits

Fine knit Union Suits. Taped neck and arms, lace flare knee. 50c value, on sale at **39c**

THE BOSS SAYS:

All Aprons and Dresses Must Go

Bungalow Aprons

Percale and Gingham Aprons in several different styles. Odds and Ends that formerly sold up to $1.98 in this lot. While they last only **88c**

PORCH DRESSES

Closing out one lot of percale and gingham dresses at the low price of **$1.79**

GINGHAM Petticoats

Made of excellent quality fast color gingham. Made with deep flounce—the kind you always pay 75c for—on sale at **49c**

BUNGALOW Dress Aprons

High-grade percale aprons in several different styles. Neatly trimmed. On sale at **$1.29**

The Boss Says: Empty the Shelves of All WAISTS

CREPE DE CHINE and PRINTED GEORGETTE, GEORGINE and SILK PONGEE waists must go. So the BOSS SAYS put them on sale at the low price of **$3.95**

THE BOSS SAYS: Sell out all your $1.75 and $2 VOILE and ORGANDIE WAISTS at a very low price. We are offering a wonderful assortment of styles and all sizes at the low price of **$1.33**

A splendid assortment of high-grade SMOCKS and MIDDIES for women. Extra special bargain at the low price of **$1.95**

Ladies' Hose

Ladies' fine weight black Hose in all sizes. Double hem top, reinforced heel and toes. Sells regular for 24c, on sale at **13c**

LOOK WHAT 5c WILL BUY

FRIDAY ONLY

LADIES' COLLARS
36 IN THIS LOT
Fine Lawn, Organdie and Crepe Collars that sell regular for 50c. Be sure and be early to get one of these collars at **5c**

BABY HOODS
45 IN THIS LOT
Splendid Organdy and Lawn Hoods for babies. Embroidery and lace trimmed. They won't last long so come early. On sale at **5c**

MEN'S HOSE
96 PAIRS IN THIS LOT
Odds and Ends to be closed out. Values in this lot up to 19c. They won't last long at this low price so come early **5c**

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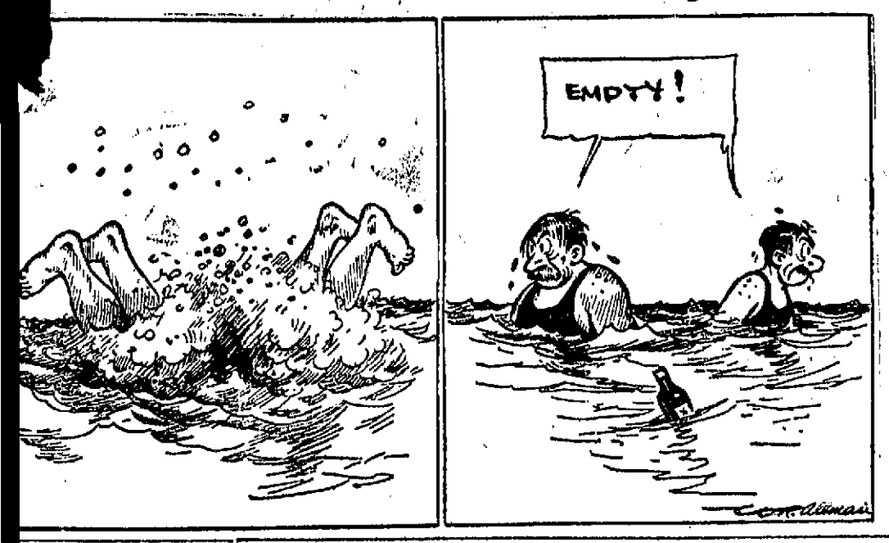
SO FAR! —By ALLMAN



ORTY-FIVE AT ANNUAL REUNION

are-Barnett Families Meet in Fairview Park in Busy Season.

The tenth annual reunion of the are and Barnett families was held in Fairview park Tuesday afternoon. Owing to the busy season the attendance was not as large as it has been in former years and only about forty-five persons attended.

After dinner, which was served in the pavilion, the business meting was held and the minutes and treasurer's report were approved, as read by L. Mellinger. Officers were elected as follows: President, J. W. Fritz; vice president, Theodore Coleman; secretary and treasuror, Mrs. J. W. Fritz.

It was decided that the reunion in 1920 would be held Aug. 20, or a date later than that in Fairview park.

ITALY STIRRED OVER HIGH PRICES

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)

London, July 15.—The food riots in Italy and agitations elsewhere on the Continent are focusing attention on the continued increase in the prices of food and clothing in this country. Public feeling, judged by protesting letters to the press and the talk one hears in restaurants and private houses, is mounting to the point of extreme indignation.

Newspapers are devoting much space to this subject and warning the government that unless it takes action to curb profiteering, trouble may be expected this winter. The government's recent announcement that its present modified food control would be continued at least through the winter does not appear to have appeased the public, and the demand is widely made for a return to the strict wartime regulations.

There is great discontent among small householders. One writes to a London paper complaining of high prices demanded for eggs, milk and fruit and declaring "Those who buy and sell seem to have gone mad in their 'get-rich-quick' craze and that impertinence in what they charge the public is something gross."

The same writer, discussing the "extortion on clothing," quotes the announcement made in the House of Commons the other day that the high price of woolen garments is not due to short supplies or government charges, and that the stocks of wool in this country are the greatest ever known.

"If that is so," the writer comments, "why are all woolen goods famine prices, and why does a man's suit of clothes cost anything from eight to eighteen guineas ($40 to $90)? Why is the profiteering allowed?"

The Ministry of Munitions official who made the announcement regarding wool said that the bulk of responsibility for the high prices of woolen goods lay between the man who makes the cloth and the dealer. He said the government was considering action to prevent profiteering.

WORKMAN DROPS DEAD AT NEWMAN

Newman, Aug. 6.—Mr. Evans of Terre Haute, Ind., dropped dead Monday afternoon from heart trouble and heat. He was working on the gravel roads over near McCoun station when death came. The body was brought to Newman and taken to Terre Haute for burial.

DEATH OF MRS. WALLS.

The body of Mrs. Ella Walls, a former Newman citizen, was brought to Newman for burial Saturday evening. The body was taken to the home of Rev. Joseph McBride where short services were held Sunday morning.

Mrs. Walls had been in ill health for years and finally drank carbolic acid, ending her life last Friday at her home north of Decatur. Her husband committed suicide several years ago by drinking carbolic acid while living on the Roller farm two miles north of Newman. She leaves two sons and two daughters.

THRESHING MACHINE BURNS.

A threshing machine belonging to Eugene Gobert caught fire when threshing at Willis Martin's Monday afternoon and burned the separator and also a load of grain which was standing near the machine.

Miss Ruth Johnson and Roy McClain were married at Paris Thursday. Mrs. McClain is the daughter of Mrs. Robert Johnson and a member of the class of 1920 in the township high school here. She is popular among the young folks and a worker in the Presbyterian church. Mr. McClain is the son of U. A. McClain of this city. He was in the army for many months as an electrician.

Miss Marie Fonner recently announced her engagement to Nelles Benson of Decatur, the marriage to take place in August.

BEMENT SOLDIER RE-ENLISTS IN ARMY

Bement, Aug. 6.—Earl H. Roan, son of Mrs. J. W. Calee, has re-enlisted in the army and is now a sergeant in the 23rd infantry. He enlisted at Decatur. Mr. Roan had been in the army since Feb. 5, 1909 and was a lieutenant when mustered out about two months ago. He was in France from August 1917 to September 1918.

Mrs. M. Burns of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Underwood. She expects to be here about two months.

W. F. Ater of Farmer City was here Tuesday visiting friends and looking after his farming interests. He formerly lived here.

Mrs. Martha Benson and daughter of Chicago are visiting friends here.

Miss Lula Spear is spending her two weeks vacation at her home here. She is a stenographer for the E-Z Bag Co. in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hawks of Des Moines, Ia., are guests of Mrs. S. B. Hawks and family.

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All Underwear Must Go

Athletic Union Suits for Women E. M. C. Athletic Union Suits for women. Always sold for $1.24; special for this sale at..... 98c

Men's Union Suits Men's fine ribbed, balbriggan and mesh union suits for men. Values in this lot that formerly sold up to $1.50, on sale at the low price of ... 98c

Men's Night Gowns To close one lot of men's muslin night gowns, we offer them at the low price of 79c

Men's Shirts or Drawers Made of excellent quality French balbriggan. The kind that always sells for 75c; on sale at 59c

One Table MUSLIN UNDERWEAR On this table you will find a large assortment of GOWNS, ENVELOPE CHEMISES and PETTICOATS. The lace and embroidery trimming are exquisite. Come and take your pick at the low price of $1.17

Ladies' Muslin Drawers Made of good quality muslin, open style, trimmed at knee with hemstitch or rows of tucks. A splendid bargain at 39c

Ladies' Muslin Petticoats Well-made muslin petticoats, trimmed with flounce of embroidery. A wonderful bargain at 49c

Ladies' Corset Covers You will want two or three of these dainty corset covers at this low price. They are trimmed with pretty lace and embroidery 24c

Ladies' Knit Vests Fine knit vest; taped neck and straps. Sells most everywhere for 15c; on sale, while they last, at 11c

Ladies' Muslin Gowns About eight different styles to select from. Slip-over style. Trimmed with pretty embroidery. A special bargain at 88c

Ladies' Silk Camisoles Made of fine washable satin, trimmed with dainty lace. Flesh color. An exceptional bargain at 49c

GIRLS' PRINCESS SLIPS, 39c One lot of Princess Slips for girls. These are odds and ends of our regular stock and you will find values in this lot up to 75c.

GIRLS' MUSLIN GOWNS, 29c Odds and ends from our big stock. Made of good quality muslin.

GIRLS' WHITE BLOOMERS, 23c Made of good quality muslin, in sizes 2 to 12 years. Made with band top.

GIRLS' COMBINATION SUITS, 47c An excellent summer suit for girls. Drop seat. A wonderful value at this low price.

MEN'S UNION SUITS Odds and ends of our large stock must be closed out. In this lot you will find nainsook and ribbed suits. Very special at 47c

Boys' Union Suits Odds and ends of Boys' Union Suits to be closed out at the low price of 39c

Men's Work Shirts Made of blue chambray in good full sizes. These are the same shirts that we sell regular for $1, on sale at the low price of 79c

Boys' Blouse Waists Light and dark blouse waists for boys, all sizes. Low or high collar. Long or short sleeves. A value that you will appreciate at this low price 43c

The Boss Says: Dispose of All Boys' Suits and Girls' Dresses

GIRLS' DRESSES Extra special dresses for girls 2 to 6 years. A wonderful bargain at 49c

GIRLS' DRESSES Fast color gingham dresses for girls 6 to 14 years. These dresses are all this season's models. On sale at $1.37

BOYS' WASH SUITS Closing out one table of wash suits for boys 2 to 8 years. Oliver Twist and Norfolk models. A selection of colors. On sale at 77c

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS Now is the time to buy your boy a school suit. We are closing out one lot of suits for boys 6 to 17 years. Neat dark patterns. Latest models included. Special at $5.19

BOYS' SUITS One lot of wool mixed suits for boys. Sizes in this lot 8 to 14 years. Remarkable value. On sale at $2.19

GIRLS' WASH DRESSES To close another lot of girls' gingham dresses, in sizes 2 to 12 years. You will buy two or three of these dresses when you see them at the low price of 88c

Boys' Pants One table of high grade wash pants in light and dark colors for boys 6 to 17 years. Exceptional at 63c

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE IN RATES

To Patrons of Central Union Telephone Company:

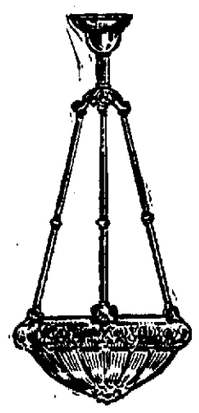
The Central Union Telephone Company hereby gives notice to the public that it has filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Illinois schedules which will change the rates for telephone service in Decatur, County of Macon, and that the said change of rates involves an increase in the rates for all general classes of service.

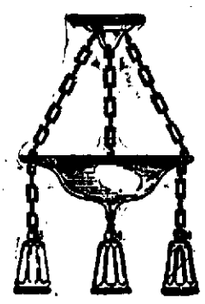
A copy of the proposed schedules may be inspected by any interested party at the office of this Company in Decatur.

All parties interested in this proceeding may obtain the information as to time and place of hearing upon this matter by addressing the Secretary of the Public Utilities Commission at Springfield, Illinois.

CENTRAL UNION TELEPHONE COMPANY

By C. H. ROTTGER, General Manager.





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FROM THE PEOPLE

TIME TO MAKE DEMANDS.

Editor Review—I see in August 2d issue of The Review where Mr. Peabody sound a note warning the public that there will be an acute shortage of coal, this winter, giving as his reason for said shortage lack of cars, and labor shortage.

He is moulding public opinion through the press to take for granted his statements are correct in order to exact from them a high price for his coal.

In the first place his statement of shortage of cars won't stand. Since the armistice was signed hundreds of empty cars have been standing idle convenient to Stonington and Taylorville and these shafts have been practically idle since the signing of the armistice I will ask the public does that look like scarcity of cars?

As for scarcity of labor let the operators resume operations in the mines in the United States and before snowflies there will be a surplus of coal instead of a shortage. Two thirds of the mines in the United States working full time will supply the demand.

I am informed the Peabody Co, has advanced the price of coal to the public 25c a ton. If that is so where does the miners share come in? If the public will stand to be gouged, the miner will shortly have to be recognized With increased cost of living unemployment and discontent the miners are in no mood to stand these horrible conditions much longer. It only requires one local to strike for higher wages, and then that demand for higher wages and better working conditions will spread like a prairie fire over the United States.

Agreement or no agreement, officers or no officers, nothing is going to stand in the way of any real men who have any manhood, when they see the operators advancing the price of coal to the public, and realize that their dear wives and helpless little offspring are suffering for want of the necessities of life, willing to work, but can't get the opportunity

For my part I say away with such an agreement, that compels us to starve ourselves, and our families in order to keep it.

All classes of labor are receiving, or striking for higher rates of wages to meet the increased cost of living excepting the miner. Our officers tell us the president must declare peace before our present agreement expires That may be six months or a year from now. During that time you are supposed to work for the same old rate specified in the contract, not withstanding the operators are making fortunes out of your labor by charging the public excessive prices for coal that cost no more to produce under our present agreement.

Miners get wise, tear the scales from your eyes and join the ranks of your fellow trade unionists who are fighting for a wage scale that will enable them and their families to live according to the standard an American family should live. Nature has been bountiful to us, we have been supplied with a surplus of everything that human being craves for. It is up to the miners now to demand of the operators an advance sufficient to enable the miners and their loved ones to enjoy the good thing nature has supplied us with in abundance

JAMES GILLESPIE

About Town

"WHILE all the other nice things in Decatur are being boosted, why don't you say something about the postoffice grounds here?"

That's the question of a local man who goes frequently to the postoffice. Monday evening, he told of a fine large touring car rolling up to the postoffice, ocupied by four persons from Vincennes, Ind. The occupants of the car and especially the woman were loud in their praise of the manner in which the grounds are kept They said that they had been traveling all through Illinois and that it was the prettiest postoffice grounds they had ever seen.

Many tourists going through the city have been noticed admiring the place this summer, the outsiders noticing it much more than the people who are here at home and see it every day.

Ain't Nature Wonderful—By Gene Ahern

(Being a letter from a wife in the country to her husband).

Dear Hank—I miss you very much, everything is so quiet and peaceful

here. I enjoy those letters you were going to write me every day, only if I were you I wouldn't let penmanship interfere with my poker parties. Now don't tell me. My electric light bill for this month will show. I am sorry I did my house cleaning last spring. I know that house will look like a cyclone came in the front door and wandered out the back window. Hank, you couldn't keep a raft in order on a lily pond. Did you pay those bills? I thought so. Did you leave a note for the milkman to leave only a pint each day? Ditto. I suppose my poor cat and canary have got so used to being hungry that they get indigestion from breathing. I'll bet you haven't made up your bed since I left, and I know every window in the house is wide open, and those curtains I just hung are flying wild through rain and dust. I know you are figuring on sending me that check to get home with, when you have a "lucky night" so I am going into town tomorrow and cash in the couple books of thrift stamps I so luckily brought along Leave the key under the hall rug as I know you will be a few hours late at the depot. With love— FLO.

P. S.—Never mind the dishes. Let them be. There are already enough cups without handles.

KENNEY FOLK IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Kenney, Aug. 6.—Mrs H. B. Rowe, Jr., and H B. Rowe, Sr., narrowly escaped serious injury Monday afternoon when their auto, driven by Mrs. Rowe went into a ditch near Jenkin's Switch. Aside from a few bruises neither were hurt.

The accident happened near the Thomas Spencer home. Mrs Rowe turned out to dodge a mud hole in the road as she approached a small bridge. This veered the car to one side of the bridge too far and it crashed off. The car overturned and both occupants were underneath it for some time, but luckily the weight of the auto rested to one side and the Rowes were not crushed beneath it. The car was badly damaged

The B L. C. club girls entertained their friends at a picnic at Weldon Springs Sunday.

C. D. Nowlin and family of Maroa, visited here Thursday with Mrs. Alice Rybolt.

Fred Richardson, who has been in the overseas service, arrived home Saturday.

Mrs. F. M. Blome and children are visiting relatives in Michigan.

PETER

Gets a Card from "Elsie"

BY THE STORY LADY.

Cousin Roger had been taken home in disgrace owing to his father finding him in a duck puddle by the side of the road. So things were going very smoothly for Peter and Mary Ellen. They had ten parties at Peter's house and play houses at Mary Ellen's Peter even played the part of man of the house to a large family of dolls. Mama Palmer and Mary Ellen's mother wondered how long it would last and Hal and Billy and Corney hoped with all their heart's that they would have a quarrel soon for Peter was no good to them.

Then one day the mail man brought Peter a post card when he and Mary Ellen were in front of the house. Peter tried to read it and tried to hide it but Mary Ellen took it away from him.

"Who's Lem?" she wanted to know.

"O, just a little kid I knew down to grandpa's."

Mary Ellen started to hand the card back to Peter much to his relief when she noticed the post script.

"Elsie says to be sure and write," she read. "Now who's Elsie?"

Peter explained that Elsie was a boy but Mary Ellen refused to believe it, so he called Patty to prove it.

"Sure, Elsie's a boy an' he's got a sister called Lem. Ain't that funny?"

Peter glared at poor Patty and Mary Ellen gathered up her dolls and went home.

HELEN CARPENTER MOORE.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

AUGUST 6, 1909.

Officer John Welty was named acting chief of police while Chief W. W. Mason was on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Trotter left on an auto trip to Milwaukee.

Prof. George F. Eckard of the New Mexico School of Mines was secured to succeed Prof. C. W. Lawrence at Millikin.

Arthur Davis, Louis Greenberg, Frank Stewart, Jean Chodat, Morris Surface, Cornelius Houran, and Clifton A. Evans were among those leaving for Atlantic City.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Miss Giselle Durfee, who was exhibiting some paintings and sculpture at the Omaha Exposition, received some very flattering newspaper comment on her work in one of the Omaha dailies.

The Y. M. C. A. tent meeting was brought to a close.

The dedication services of the Universalist church at Sangamon were attended by a large number of Universalists from Decatur.

The Decatur circuit of camp meetings was about to be started seven miles east of Decatur near Antioch church.

W. J. Magee had an asphalt walk laid around his property at the corner of Water and Division streets.

NEW TOWN PUMP FOR SHELBYVILLE

City Council Clings to Old Style "Fountain."

Shelbyville, Aug. 6.—The old town pump on the east side of the public square is to go—but it is to be replaced by a new one, through which the thirsty public may continue to quench its collective thirst.

"THE OLD TOWN WELL."

The new pump was ordered Monday night in the August meeting of the city council. This town well, which by the way is the only place in the city where the public can get a drink without asking for it, has been doing duty since the early days of the city, and in the absence of the drinking fountains which Shelbyville should have, is a great convenience.

NO NIGHT POLICEMAN.

The city is still without a night policeman, other that Officer J. E. Sparks, who is the merchants' police. Failure of the council to confirm Mayor J. E. Crockett's appointment of S. D. Whiles a month ago, left the city without a regular night officer, and the mayor made no further appointment Monday night. A certain ordinance, which however, is said to conflict with the statutes outlining the powers of the mayor, so far has prevented the appointment of an officer without the sanction of the councilmen.

A communication was received from a business man, protesting against the practice of others in burning refuse in alleys The matter was referred to the mayor and chief of police for action.

The police magistrate's report showed that during the month of July fines to the total amount of $25 had been assessed.

CHANGE VALUATION.

Changes in the valuation of horses, mules and lands have been made by the board of review, which consists of Dr. J. H. Eddy, chairman; Ransom Robinson and Harry Hinton, with J. W. Frits, as clerk, in most of the townships of Shelby county, In nearly all of the townships in which changes have been made the values have been raised instead of lowered.

One notable instance of increased values is that of mules in Tower Hill, where they were advanced by the board just 100 per cent. The assessor's valuation was $32 a head, which the board of review felt was a pretty low price for mules at this time.

The board has received about all the complaints that will be filed this year, and after hearing the arguments on a few of these yet to be passed upon, will proceed with the extension of the assessments.

The Central Illinois Public Service company has filed objections to the assesment on its property at Mowequa, and these will be heard by the board the latter part of the week.

The board also will make a trip to Findlay to investigate complaints of inequality in the assesment of lots in the townships, Okaw and Todd's Point, the dividing line of which is in the village of Findlay.

SULLIVAN COUPLE WED.

John Scribner, 25, of Sullivan, and Miss May Niles, 21 of Findlay, were married Monday at the court house in this city, the ceremony being performed by Judge A. J. Steidley. Mr. Scribner is a farmer.

Freeman C. Goodwin of Tonica, and Miss Glyde Winchell of Mowequa, were licensed to wed here Tuesday

Thomas J. Slifer, recently returned from overseas service with Co. H, and Miss Clara F. Davis, seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Davis, were married Saturday by Judge A. J. Steidley. Mr. Slifer is a farmer.

Harold H. Pedelupe, 23, of Ramsey, and Miss Mabel W. Smart, 20, of Herrick, were licensed to wed here Saturday.

KEARNEY FUNERAL.

The funeral of James Kearney, who died at his home in Richland township Monday, was held from the Richland church at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Burial was in the Richland cemetery.

Mr Kearney was a prominent farmer and stockman He leaves a wife and seven children and two brothers. The children are Albert and Alvin Kearney of Strasburg, Mrs. Ethel Stillabower of Richland, Mrs. Bess Duvall of Neoga, Roy Kearney and Mrs. Bertha Storm, residing at home and Mrs. Sylvia Doehring of Strasburg.

Miss Melissa Hurtt has sold her residence property at North First and Will streets, to Arthur Runkel. The price paid was $2,000.

H. A. Stewardson went to Lincoln Tuesday, to get his son, Tommy Stewardson, who was sent to the state institution there a few weeks ago observation by physicians and officials of that institution led them to the conclusion that there was nothing radically wrong with the boy except idleness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martz and sons Harry and Luther, and George Lumpp left Monday for a ten days' auto tour in Indiana and Ohio.

Captain R. R. Snapp of Findlay, well known in Shelbyville, landed in the United States last week.

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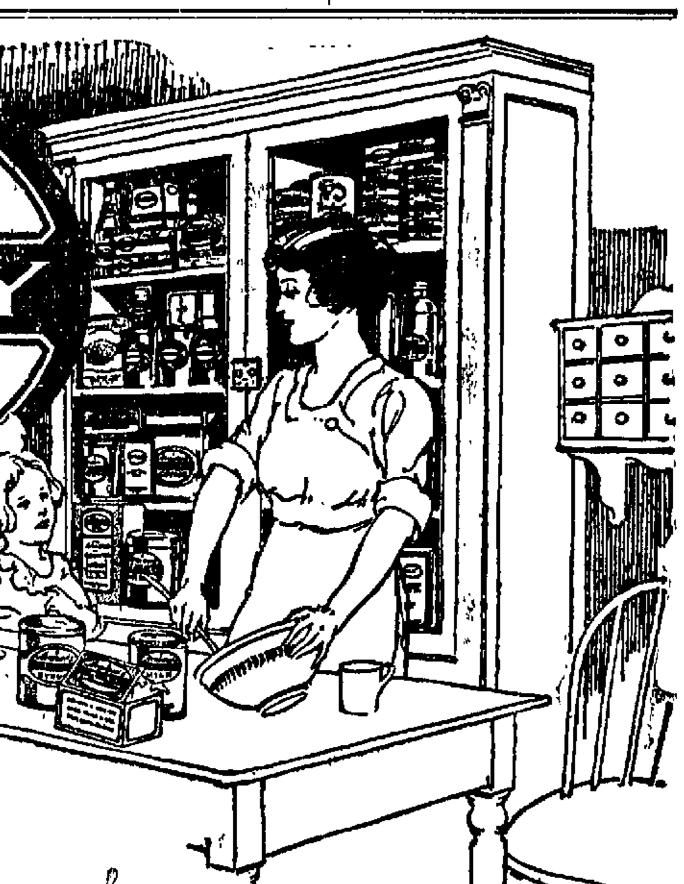

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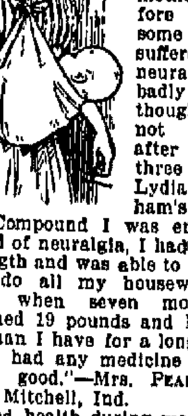

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Morton's Drug Store	Taylorville, Ill.
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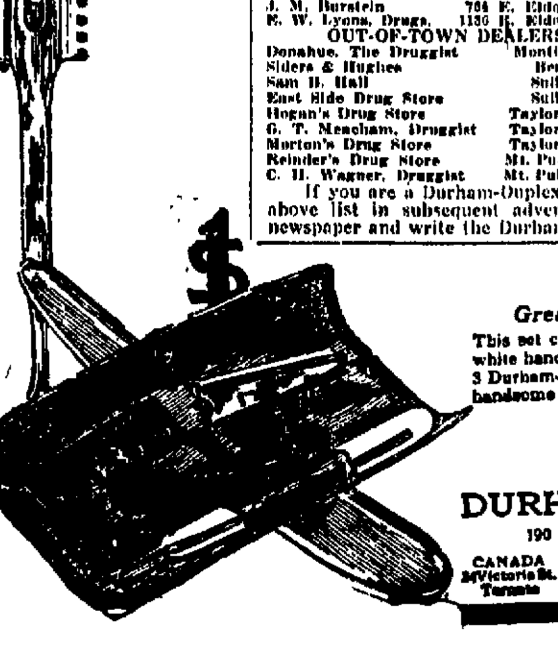

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HAMMOND BOYS' BAND ELECTS

Hammond, Aug. 6. — The annual election of officers of the Hammond junior band was held on Monday night and are as follows:

President—Floyd Bandy.
Secretary—Vioris Eskridge.
Treasurer—James Bandy.

The band concert given by the junior band on Friday night was well attended. They were assisted by Elmer Leavitt, Fred E Benard, T. J. Crowder and Ray B Ponder.

Fred Thomas, who resides south of town had one field of oats that averaged 33½ bushels to the acre.

Miss Maude Vanvleet of Atwood was a guest of Miss Pearl Silver on Saturday morning

Carl Evans, of Dallas, Tex., who had been a guest of his sister, Mrs. W R. Evans, has departed for Akron O.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vanvleet of Atwood, accompanied by Mrs. P. E. Wren and Miss Mayme Tracy of this place motored to Decatur on Monday afternoon.

Dr. A M. Clark of El Paso was a guest on Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sheets and children left on Tuesday morning for Strasburg to make their home. Mr. Sheets has been engaged as principal of the schools at that place.

James P. Lewis of Chicago was here on Sunday the guest of relatives

Miss Mayme Tracy who had been employed in the office of the State Center-Record in Illiopolis since April has returned to her home at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kearns of Decatur were visitors here on Monday evening They were accompanied to this place by Mrs. C. B. Kearns and daughter, Arline, also of Decatur, who spent a few days here.

Ivan Landgolio left on Monday for Iowa, where he will work. He was accompanied as far as Decatur by Marion Bandy and Misses Gladys Smith and Forestine Bodamer.

E. B. Leavitt left Monday for Kokomo, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. I N. Stahl and son Dick, and their granddaughter Eileen Stahl, departed on Saturday for a visit in Ohio with the families of C. W. Murdock and W. H. Stahl

Mrs. Glen H. Martin of Springfield who had been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W Traxler, went to Decatur on Saturday night to the home of her husband's mother, who is quite ill.

James Fairbanks and daughter, Miss Frances, of Assumption, accompanied by the former's granddaughter, Louise Fairbanks, of Bement, were business visitors in Hammond on Saturday

Mrs. Shannon Black and son Gerald, have returned to Decatur, after a visit at the Silner home at this place.

Mrs. H A. Leavitt, of Miami, Fla., who had been a guest of J. W Leavitt and family departed for a visit with relatives in Lewistown.

Mrs Howard Gentry, of Altamont came on Monday to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O L. Traxler.

FINISH THRESHING AT TUSCOLA SOON

Tuscola, Aug. 6.—Threshing of small grain is continuing in this vicinity, but with good weather the job will about be finished this week. Both the wheat and the oats crop have proved to be a great disappointment to the farmer and grain men.

The oats were known to be a light crop from their general appearance before harvesting, but many wheat fields that grew enough straw to have produced forty bushels per acre, have threshed out less than twenty bushel of wheat of poor quality. Many fields of spring wheat around here were hardly worth the labor of cutting and threshing.

Justice J. C. Cutler had before his court in Tuscola on Monday a case from Camargo that occupied almost the entire day. The Hammett brothers, Roy Richard and Frank who were all non-residents, through their agent, H. D. Blake of the Camargo State bank, brought suit against Mrs. Mary Dosey, who lives north of Camargo, for the collection of something over $400 rent which they claimed was due them.

The defendant filed counter claims and at the close of the taking of the evidence, it appeared to Justice of Peace Cutler to be a knotty problem to settle. He took the matter under advisement until Tuesday morning, when he allowed a part of the claims of both parties to the suit and made a settlement which seemed satisfactory to all concerned.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Jones returned home from their farm near Salisbury, Mo., arriving here shortly after noon Tuesday having been called home by the death of their son, Percy's wife. They were accompanied from St. Louis by Mrs. S. C. Jacobs and daughter, Eva, who will remain here to attend the funeral services Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Jacobs is a sister of Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Emma Thompson and son, Everett, Jr., arrived home Monday night from a ten days automobile trip to Chicago and Lake Maxinkuckee, Ind. They were accompanied home by Miss Oda Burkland of Chicago, who was their guest on the trip to Lake Maxinkuckee.

Dr. and Mrs. Glen R. Ingram, Miss Eleanor Payne and Mrs. Fred Thornsbrue motored to Decatur Tuesday.

J. H. Lowe from near Hindsboro, his daughter, Mrs. Minnie Parrish, and her son, Renos of Tuscola went to Quincy, Tuesday

Mrs. Henry Rice was in Garrett Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Foote, Mrs. Ella Heacock and daughter, Helen, were in Decatur Tuesday.

Asks Divorce.

Daisy Burstein has filed suit for divorce from Harry Burstein and asks that he be restrained from disposing of his business interests at 650 East Eldorado street. She charges him with cruelty. They were married in Terre Haute in 1913.

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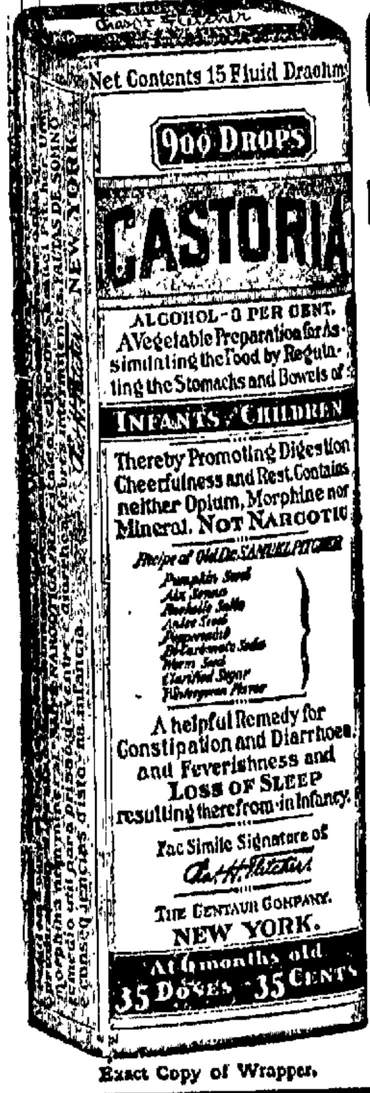

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Red Seal Matches, a bargain—5 box carton..28c
Tall Pet Milk, doz. ..$1.93
Baby Size, dozen......95c
White Line Washing Powder, dozen ....55c (Less than 5c a pkg.)
The best Cleaner for white shoes is Nu White. The 25c size 19c
Luxury Macaroni and Spaghetti, dozen ....90c (Figues 7½c a pkg.)

NIANTIC.

Mrs Margaret Walley and children of Westfield and Mrs Barbara Robinson of Danville are visiting their mother, Mrs. Frances Okuly and family.

Mrs. Laura Hall, entertained the Birthday club, Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Monical, and children of Buffalo spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Leonard and son of near Buffalo visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Eaton entertained at dinner last week in honor of Mrs. G. W. Morrison, who will soon leave for her new home at Kewanee, the following guests: Mrs. L. O. Hawk, Mrs. Frank Wren, Mrs. J. W. Lynn, Mrs G. W. Morrison, Mrs. Horace Pritchett and daughter, Elin, Mrs. William Wren, and daughter Estaline, Mrs. Sarah Beck of Decatur Mrs. Bruce Beck and daughter of Harristown.

Misses Marie Kaylor and Maud Beck have returned home after a week's visit with Rev and Mrs. W. J. Montgomery at Rantoul.

Mrs. Elwin McNamara and children, of Springfield were week-end guests of Mrs L. E. Kitch and family.

Edward Connor and sister Elizabeth visited friends at Streator Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stahl, Tuesday, July 29, a son

Miss Dora Sponsler resigned her position as bookkeeper at Pritchett Bros'. hardware store, and has accepted a position as bookkeeper at H Knap's coal office.

Dr. Roy Pope and family left Saturday for a visit at Chicago, Detroit, Mich., and other points of interest.

Rev Fred Nichols and family are visiting relatives at Table Grove.

Ralph Osborne, who is in the U. S. navy is here on a furlough, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne.

Mrs. Sarah Lockart has returned home to Cowden after visiting her daughter Mrs. T. P. Moore and family

Misses Elizabeth Joyce and Carol Corbett of Pana are visiting relatives here.

Miss Jeannie Delaney will entertain St. Ann's Altar club Wednesday afternoon at her home in Illiopolis.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Bowyer of Cincinnati, O. were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Carl Pritchett last week.

Mr and Mrs. Will Jones, Mr. and Mrs Virgil Jones of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday.

Frank Beall, purchased the Cussins homestead at an auction sale at the court house in Decatur Saturday. F. T. Bell purchased the Cussins store building.

Miss Hallie Hitchison has returned home from visiting relatives at Mackinaw.

E. M. Wren, and daughter, Allie were Sunday guests of P. L. Wren and family.

John Clark has a sunflower measuring 20 ft. in height

VANDALIA.

E. M. Loover, who has been in the hospital at Springfield, having an injured eye removed, has returned home. He will later return and have the cataract removed from the other eye

Miss Melva Stewart of Akron, O., is spending the week with Vandalia relatives

Miss Mary Mockler of Chicago was the guest last week of Miss Lenora Brannon.

Misses Louise and Alma Miller of Iola, Kan., after a visit with their aunt, Mrs. L. Easterday, left Saturday to visit in Hillsboro before returning home.

Sidney McAdams and family left last week for Bloomington where they will reside.

Miss Iola Irish of Fairbury was the guest the past week of Miss Margaret Cockolreis and other Vandalia friends.

Mrs. R. T. Riggins left Monday for Chautauqua, N. Y., where she will spend a couple of weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shelton of Decatur spent Sunday with relatives here and attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Helen Yenny, to Jesse Smith Sunday.

C. A. Janett has sold his residence property to William Eakin, who will soon occupy the same.

DELAND.

George Bowsher has gone to Watseka to work in a garage

Sherman Elder is ill.

Smith Wiseharvers have purchased property at Champaign and will move there in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gill of Iowa are guests of A. E. Groth.

J. C. Bickel has arrived home from 18 months' service in France.

Russel Shilley and Moneta Foxell will attend school at Wesleyan at Bloomington

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Remodeling Sale Prices Cut Deeper Just For Thursday Morning

—This is one of the best half-day sales We have advertised this summer.

Coats' Thread Six Spools to a Customer **6 for 25c**

Thursday Morning Only We'll Sell

$5 and $6 Wash Dresses $2.45

—Two dozen exquisite, sheer voile dresses in sizes 16 to 44—actually retailed for $5.95 and one lot of plaid and checked gingham dresses in real $5 values. Come Thursday morning and take choice of either lot, each **$2.45**

$2.50 House Dresses $1.50
—Several dozen Decatur-Maid house dresses in regular and extra sizes—regular $2.50 values, because imperfect, each **$1.50**

$1.50 Coverall Aprons, $1
—Five or six dozen only of these neat percale bungalow aprons—styles that open up the back, $1.50 values, to go each **$1**

Up to $2 Girls' Dresses, $1
—Big odd lot of children's dresses; middy styles of galatea and middy twill; also some odd all-white, thin dresses; sizes 2 to 6 years. Values up to $2 Thursday morning **$1**

Notice!
These Bargains Are Obtainable Tomorrow Morning Only.

Up To $2 Vests and Collars, 39c
—Big odd lot of our most expensive vests that sold up to $2 and $2.50; also organdy and lace collars sold up to $1, Thursday morning choice **39c**

A Big Table of $1 To
$3 Silk Gloves 39c Pair
—Odd gloves from many lines; short silk gloves in blacks and tans, sold up to $1 and $1.50; up to $3 values in long black silk gloves; mostly small sizes, Thursday morning, 39c pr.

Remnants White Goods ½ Price
—250 choice remnants of seasonable white goods, such as novelty voiles, organdies, skirting flaxon, Linweave and Luna fabrics, plain voiles and dimities. The selection is a big one. Come Thursday morning and buy remnants at choice, ONE HALF PRICE.

$2 Auto Caps, 69c
—Odd lot of women's silk auto caps; smart styles of this season sold up to $2; Thursday morning, choice **69c**

Take Unrestricted Choice
Entire Stock of
Summer Millinery $1.95

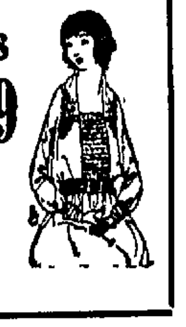
—Not a summer hat reserved!
—Even some stunning ostrich trimmed milan hats are included—and a few beautiful satin sports hats.
—There'll be a wild scramble for these, so come early, and get first choice of the entire stock for only $1.95.
Hats Sold Up To $15

Two Sensational Wash Goods Offers

32-Inch Zephyr Ginghams
—Several hundred yards of pretty zephyr ginghams, full 32-inch width, and in choice plaid and checked designs; actually 35c ginghams Thursday morning, yard **19c**

25c Colored Batistes
—500 yards of pretty new printed batistes; these in attractive patterns on light grounds; 27 inches wide; regular 25c materials Thursday morning only, a yard **12½c**

Thursday Morning We'll Sell
$5 Crepe De Chine Waists
—A counterful of these lovely crepe de chine and georgetine silk waists, in flesh and white. $5 values, choice **$3.59**



$1.50 and $1.69 Voile Waists, $1
—A limited lot of dainty white voile waists that retail for $1.50 and $1.69 regularly; fresh, clean, perfect waists. Choice **$1**

$2.50 Marquisette Curtains $1.45
—100 pairs of handsome marquisette curtains, 2¼ yds. long—some with neat lace edges, others hemstitched borders; all regular $2.50 values, Thursday morning, pair **$1.45**

$1 Grass Rugs 69c
—One hundred 27x54 imported grass rugs—mostly blues—regular $1.25 values, Thursday morning only **69c**

$7.50 Rugs, $5.95
—6x9 ft. green, brown and blue grass rugs for porches and bedrooms; $7.50 rugs, Thursday morning **$5.95**

Two Big Silk Hose Bargains

$1.00 Silk Hose, 49c
—12 dozen pairs of women's fiber silk hose, in pink, grey and white only. Today's best $1 values. Thursday morning only, pair **49c**

$1.50 Silk Hose, 75c
—50 dozen pairs of women's pure silk hose in black and white only; slightly imperfect hose of real $1.50 quality, to go, pair **75c**

Two Bargain Lots of
Children's Low Shoes
—to create a sensation here Thursday morning—

$3.00 Values $1.45
—TABLE 1: Broken assortments of children's shoes in sizes 7 to 11; lace and strap styles in black kid, patent leather and white fabric; sold up to $3 pair. Thursday morning only, pair.. **$1.45**

$3.50 Values $1.95
—TABLE 2: Broken lines of children's low shoes in sizes 11½ to 2; laced oxfords and strap styles; brown and black kid leathers, patents and dulls, also white fabrics, shoes sold up to $3.50 pair. Thursday morning only, pair **$1.95**

39c Camisole Laces 19c A Yard
—Right from stock! Dainty camisole edges, 3 to 5 inches wide; 29c and 39c retailers, Thursday morning, yard .. **19c**

Laces and Embroidery Remnants At Half
—A counterful of choice lengths of laces and embroideries from all lines—scores of useful bits, to go Thursday morning, HALF PRICE.

Towels and Domestics

39c Middy Twill, 19c
Yard wide white middy twill, retailing regularly at 39c yard, sale price per yard........ **19c**

50c Turkish Towels 39c
Large size Turkish towels in staple and fancy weaves, best 50c values at each.......... **39c**

20c Towels, 15c
—16x32 hemmed huck towels with red borders—best 20c values each **15c**

Wash Cloths, 5c
—10x10 inch hemmed wash cloths—pink or blue borders—best 7c values, each **5c**

35c Percales, 28c
—Yard-wide percales in neat dark styles only; fine for aprons and dresses; best 35c percales, yard **28c**

Cotton Batt Sale
—72x90 single sheet, quilted cotton batts; weight 3 pounds; best $1.35 values on sale at, each.. **$1**

$7 Pillows $4.95
—Real goose feather pillows; 3 also up to 7 pounds; blue striped ticking, $7.00 values, pair **$4.95**

$1.50 Silk Camisoles
—Several dozen lovely crepe de chine and wash satin camisoles — sizes 36 to 44—in values to $1.50—choice at **$1**

500 Union Suits
Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls'

Women's regular 50c gauze union suits in regular sizes, 34, 36, 38; tight knees; at, 25c
Women's regular $1.19 extra size union suits in the popular closed styles, go at each, 60c
Men's regular $1 union suits—ribbed suits—ankle length, short sleeves; 34 and 36, 50c
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12:15 AM	12:55 PM	12:25 AM
2:06 PM	x 2:30 PM	x 2:30 PM
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Society

ZETA TAU ALPHA GIRLS ARE BUSY

Miss Mattes Gives Address of Welcome.

ZETA TAU ALPHA girls, who are in Chicago attending the national convention of their sorority, are so busy they scarcely have time to rest. The convention opened Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Congress hotel. The attendance is good, more than 100 delegates being present for the opening session and more coming all the time.

The regular meetings of the convention and private committee meetings are keeping the time well occupied. In the evenings the time is devoted to some sort of entertainment. A boat ride will be one of the features of the convention.

Some of the Decatur girls went up to Chicago Sunday afternoon, while others left Monday. The convention lasts all week. The Decatur girls are in a way acting as the hostesses at the convention, as the local chapter is the nearest one to Chicago. There is no chapter in that city. Miss Violet Mattes of this city gave the address of welcome to the delegates.

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Dr. J. C. Hessler of the J. M. U. has returned from Wisconsin, where he spent two weeks with his wife and daughter. The Hesslers, who have been at their cottage at Ephraim, are now getting settled in their new cottage about twenty miles distant. Their new address is Ellison Bay. Mrs. Hessler and daughter will spend the rest of this month there.

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There will be two dances this week-end at the Decatur Fishing club. On Thursday night the regular club dance will be held, and on Friday night Miss Frances Kuny entertains. Thursday evening there is also to be a dinner party, given by Mr. Harry.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClelland will return home Friday from Grass Lake, Mich., where they have been spending the past few weeks.

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Mrs. Elizabeth White of Pekin, and Mrs. Frank M. Rice and son Billy, of Bloomington, who have been guests of Mrs. Forrest File, have returned to their homes.

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City Pan-Hellenic will meet next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Forrest File.

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ABOUT thirty women were out for the golf luncheon this afternoon at the Country club. The play this afternoon is for the Western pin. Hostesses at the bridge play were to be Mrs. E. A. West and Mrs. Ada Stoner.

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Alpha Chi Omega alumnae left Wednesday morning for the Fishing club where they held their pot luck luncheon at noon.

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Byron File, who recently received his discharge from the army after serving in France as a lieutenant in the engineering corps, has gone back to Pekin, after a short visit here.

MISS ABEL GOES TO GALVESTON

Miss Clara Abel, who for some years past has been children's librarian at the Springfield public library and previous to that held a similar position in the Decatur public library, has resigned her position at Springfield and accepted one at Galveston, Tex., where she will be in charge of the children's library. Miss Abel is spending the month of August with relatives and friends in Decatur. She will take up her new place in Galveston, Sept. 1.

Miss Abel's work as children's librarian both in Decatur and Springfield, was unusually successful, and she is recognized as an authority in that line.

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and Mrs. R. Z. Sanders, will be seven years old Thursday and the occasion will be duly celebrated. He will entertain a number of his friends at a birthday party in the afternoon at his home. There will be eight or ten in the party.

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The chicken fry held by the Lincolnites at Woodbine park, Tuesday evening was made a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Beane, who are leaving Decatur for New York to make attended the chicken fry. Commissioner and Mrs. John F. Mattes were guests.

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Captain W. W. Brothers and wife, formerly Miss Mildred Chandler, and their baby are leaving today for Iowa. Captain Brothers was released from service at Fort Riley last week. He has been head of the surgical section there. He was given a farewell reception and banquet by the officers and was presented with a band gold and platium ring, the 32d degree Masonic emblem Mrs. Brothers has spent most of her time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elkin Chandler, during the past year.

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Mrs. H. F. Day and daughter, Edna, of Moweaqua are visiting over night with Dr. Harriet Day Chandler. They will start east Thursday over the Pennsylvania lines for a month's stay.

Life's Lighter Hours

Entertains.

Miss Helen Jacobs entertained seven of her friends at her home, 437 South Oakland avenue, Saturday evening in honor of Miss Bernice Hawley of Greenville, Ill., who is visiting Miss Lucile and Christine Busbey. An out of town guest was Miss Leta Smith of Fort Wayne, Ind. The color scheme of pink and white was prettily carried out in the refreshments. Those present were the Misses Bernice Hawley, Leta Smith, Freda Smith, Lucile Bushbey, Christine Busbey, Grace Scott and Lucile Welman.

Priscilla Pleasure Club.

The Priscilla Pleasure club will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon with Mrs. M. J. J. Polk, 624 South Franklin street.

Weddings

ODER-LEGGET.

Mrs. A. L. Gregory and Miss Rhea Brennen of Decatur attended the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Jane Oder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Oder of Virden, and Frank Leggett of Paragould, Ark., which took place at 9 o'clock Monday evening in the home of the bride in Virden. Rev. Mr. Marting of the Presbyterian church officiated.

Preceding the ceremony Taylor's orchestra gave a musical program which was followed by the wedding march.

Following the ceremony, the couple left for a month's stay at Mackinac and other northern resorts.

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Wash the affected surface with household ammonia or warm salt water; then apply—

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Store Opens Thursday at 8:30 A. M. and Closes at 12 Noon

The Habit That Hits The H. C. L. ½ Day Sale

IF you've missed any of our big Thursday morning sales through July, the first one for August, scheduled for tomorrow is a fine opportunity to begin. Hosts of others are making it a point to be early birds when the doors of our store swing open on Thursday mornings, and by the time we close at 12 noon for the summer Thursday half-holiday, most of the bargains have flown. Get the Habit of attending our Half-Day sales.

It's The Habit That Hits The High Cost of Living

Up To 50c Wash Goods

FOR a quick clearance Thursday morning, we have placed in one lot, about 50 pieces, odds and ends representing our entire wash goods stock. In this lot you will find—

39c Black Sateen, 30-inch
50c Plain and Fancy Voiles, 36 to 40-inch
50c Colonial Mercerized Batiste, 40-inch
39c Dress Gingham, 27-inch
39c Romper Cloth, 27-inch
50c Kindergarten Cloth, 30-inch
50c Serpentine Crepe, 30-inch
50c Beach Suiting, 34-inch

Choice of the Lot, Per Yard **25c**

Wool Goods Per Yard $1.25

THE earlier you purchase your wool goods, for fall wearing, the more you will save. This is the forecast of all who have investigated market conditions. Savings will be especially big on this $1.25 lot, offered for the Half-Day Sale, Thursday morning—

Regular $2.50 Black Wool Voile, 44-inch
Regular $2.00 Black and Navy Mohair, 42-inch
Regular $2.00 Copen Blue All-Wool Batiste, 42-inch
Regular $2.50 Copen Blue All-Wool Granite, 42-inch
Regular $2.00 All-Wool Copen Blue French Serge, 42-inch
Regular $1.75 and $2.00 All-Wool Navy Storm Serge, 38 to 42-inch
Regular $2.50 Chudah Cloth, 42-inch

Choice, Tomorrow Morning Only, Yard **$1.25**

Children's Hats

Light and dark shades, $1.75 to $3.50 values. Choice for the half-day sale **$1.00**

Boys' Hats, wash and straw, 75c to $2.50 values. Choice for the half-day sale **69c**

Little Girls' Gingham Dresses

in sizes 8 to 14 years, $3.50 value, special for the Half-day sale **$2.98**

Dolls! Dolls! Dolls!

Dressed Dolls, Teddy Bears, all varieties of dolls, somewhat soiled, but easily made as bright and fresh as when they came into the store.

Dolls worth up to $2.50, Half-Day Sale price **39c**

Dolls worth up to $5.00, Half-Day Sale price **69c**

Petticoats

—of Wash Satin and Crepe de Chine in flesh and white, double panel, $6.50 value, Half-Day Sale price **$4.95**

Main Floor Head Liners For The Half Day Sale

A Group of Extraordinary Values, selected for their Real Quality and Offered at a Fraction of Regular Prices.

Women's Niagara Maid

Silk Gloves

Three styles, 2-clasp, Gauntlet and Strapped Gauntlet, in white, black, mastic, pongee, navy, gray and fancy; bought at a low price because of slight soiling and offered to you almost at cost. Values up to $2.25. Tomorrow morning, your choice **95c**

Black Cat

SILK HOSE

A regular $1.00 value in Black Cat Silk Hose, black and colors, slightly imperfect, offered only for the Half-Day sale tomorrow morning, a pair..... **50c**

Palmolive Soap, Three Cakes 20c

Women's Colored Handkerchiefs

Rolled hem and hemstitched hem, our best 19c value, Half-day price 2 FOR **25c**

Men's Union Suits

Kooper Klosed Krotch, high neck, short sleeve ankle length, our best $1.50 value. Tomorrow morning **95c**

Traveling Bags

Genuine leather imitation alligator finish, poplin lined, brass lock and catches; sewed corners, 20-inch size, $12.50 value, Half-Day sale price .. **$9.75**

To Close Out Quickly

All Light Hats

Values up to $20.00 in light hats, many of the season's most popular styles, such values that they will not last long priced as low as this for the Half-Day sale, Tomorrow Morning only— Your choice..... **$3.95**

Tomorrow— A Half-Day Sale of

Bed Spreads

Crocheted Bed Spreads, 81 x 90 in., either hemmed or scalloped, a good serviceable quality that will wash perfectly, worth $3.50, a special for Thursday morning at, each **$2.50**

Liberty Luncheon Sets

Pretty new Sanitos Liberty Sets, in a varied assortment of patterns, five and thirteen-piece sets, especially good, and priced specially for the Half-Day sale, $2.25 and **$1.75**

Cheese Cloth

36-inch Cheese Cloth, good for dusting and polishing purposes, priced especally low for the Half-Day Sale, yard **7½c**

28-inch Percales

28-inch Percale in a pretty new range of fall patterns, lights, grays, indigos and Calcutta blues, an excellent value, Half-Day Sale price, yard **18c**

Final Clean-Up On

Crex Grass Rugs

This lot includes all sizes from the small single-door rugs to the large 9 x 12 sizes. Colors are green, tan, blue and gray. Specially marked for tomorrow morning as follows:

18 x 36 in. Size—35c.
27 x 54 in. Size—85c.
36 x 72 in. Size—$1.25.
4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in.—$3.75.
6 x 9 ft. Size—$5.75.
8 x 10 ft. Size—$10.75.
9 x 12 ft. Size—$12.75.

Half-Day Sale of

High Boots and Low Shoes

An extra special lot of women's high grade footwear in odd sizes, including many of this season's best-selling styles, which we are desirous of closing out owing to the few sizes left of each kind. You will be well repaid for coming early as we anticipate an eager demand at the price— pair **$4.95**

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WAS TOLD HIS TIME HAD COME

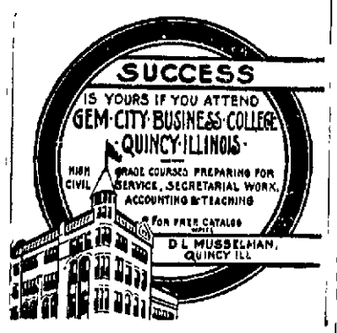
J. P. Heady Was So Run Down It Was Thought Nothing Could Help Him.

"I am seventy years old, but since taking Tanlac I feel as well and strong as I did when I was a young man, and can do as much hard work in a day as any man thirty years younger than I am," said J. P. Heady, a well-known retired farmer who lives at Kearney, Mo., while in the Owl Drug Store in Kansas City a few days ago.

"Well, sir, when I commenced taking Tanlac," he continued, "I had been told that my case was hopeless, and that I could only live a short time. My stomach had been in bad condition for many years, but for the past eighteen months I was about past going altogether. Everything I ate would sour and I would be bloated with gas for hours at a time. My liver was in bad condition, too, and I was constipated so badly all the time that I had to take a laxative every day. Then, in addition to this, I had rheumatism in my foot and legs so bad that I was not able to walk half the time. I didn't know what a good night's sleep was, and finally got so weak and run-down that I was just about down and out so far as health and strength goes. No treatment or medicine I took seemed to do me the least bit of good.

"I had heard a great deal about Tanlac and the good it was doing so many people, so I thought I would give it a trial. The very first bottle made a big change in my condition, and from that time on I picked up about as fast as a man possibly could. I just kept on until I had taken ten bottles of Tanlac, and now my troubles are all gone, and I feel fine all the time. My appetite was never better, and I eat things now that I haven't dared touch for years, and I never suffer afterwards. The rheumatism is gone, too, and I never have an ache or pain. I get about ten hours' good, sound sleep every night. My general health is better than it has been in many years, and my entire system has been wonderfully built up. I can do all sorts of hard work now, and it doesn't tire me but very little. Yes, sir, Tanlac can't be beat, and I'll tell the world that it is the best medicine I ever saw in my life."

Tanlac is sold in Decatur by Decatur Drug Company.



Don't Spoil a Good Meal With a Bad Stomach

If a physician, a specialist in stomach diseases, came to you and said: "I will fix up that miserable, worn out stomach for you or money back.

"I will make it as good as new so you will not suffer from any distress and can eat what you want without fear or suffering, or money back, would you turn down his offer?

And when you are offered Mi-o-na stomach tablets, made from a prescription better than many of the stomach specialists know how to write, are you going to be narrow minded and continue to suffer from indigestion, or are you going to be fair to yourself and try Mi-o-na on the money back agreement.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are offered to you on this basis that if they do not put your stomach into such good shape that there is no dizziness, sour stomach, biliousness, sick headache and stomach distress, your money will be refunded. For sale by Decatur Drug Company and all leading druggists.

AIRPLANES TO PANA ON AUG. 15

Pana Aug. 6.—A fleet of army airplanes are to visit Pana on "Soldiers and Service Men's Day" at the Pana chautauqua Friday, Aug. 15. This has been guaranteed when Mayor H. N. Schuyler completed the details with Lieut. Charles M. Leonard of the Chanute Field at Rantoul, Ill.

It is now assured that planes will come here from both the Scott and Chanute Fields for that day when all Service men in uniform will be admitted free.

This will be one of the biggest days of the chautauqua, when Governor Lowden will be here and deliver an address. The Goodman band of Decatur will give concerts.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS.

A petition was presented to the city council Monday by Chief of the Fire Department G. W. Searles asking the council to furnish some extra fire boxes and additional men for service in the department. The petition carried.

Alderman Jolly offered some resistance when the petition of Fire Chief Searles was read to have more men put on the pay roll in the fire department. Jolly declared he had more men now than he had any use for and saw no reason whatever for increasing the number of men already in the service.

Alderman Jolly of the fourth ward took another fling at the telephone company for failure to furnish service and made a motion that the company be notified that unless service was resumed within 3 days the city would declare the franchise held by the company as null and void, and that the company would forfeit the right to further operate in the city of Pana. The motion as put by Alderman Jolly seemed strong for some of the members who plead for more time for the company to adjust their affairs before being kicked out of town, so it was agreed that they be given 5 days and Alderman Jolly's motion was so amended when it passed without a dissenting vote.

PROPERTY VALUES.

The total assessed value of property of all description in Christian county on the 1919 assessment is $20,461,485, according to James Hunter deputy county treasurer, who has completed the summary of the assessor's books as turned in during the latter part of June. This value will be later increased by the board of review by one-sixth or $3,910,247. This gives a grand total of $24,371,732.

As soon as the board of review has finished its work the figures will be ready for County Clerk John E. George for the extensions for the various purposes.

THIRTY BABIES ATTEND CLINIC

Work of Examination Lasts Most of Afternoon.

Thirty babies and their mothers attended the child welfare clinic at the E. A. Gastman school Tuesday afternoon, showing that the interest in the baby welfare work being done here is undiminished.

Dr. I. H. Neece, director of public health, and Mrs. Ruth Sweeny, superintendent of the child welfare work, were in charge of the clinic which lasted most of the afternoon. Dr. Lahmers also assisted with the examination of the babies, lightening the labors of the other members of the force considerably.

ANOTHER FARM AT $500 AN ACRE

Hall Farm Near Niantic Goes to Joseph Clinton.

The second Macon county farm to sell for $500 within a month is the Charles A. Hall farm, about a half mile northeast of Niantic. This was sold Tuesday to Joseph Clinton of Elco at the above named price. It is a 160 acre farm, highly improved and has been Mr. Hall's home since 1874. Possession is given March 1, 1920. Mr. Hall and family will spend the winter in Florida.

DECATUR SOLDIERS RETURNING HOME

William M. Weaklet, 344 West Cerro Gordo street, who has been in overseas service, arrived in Decatur Tuesday afternoon, having received his honorable discharge from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGlade, 522 South Sigel street, have received word that their son Avery, landed in New York Wednesday morning. He has been in France since last October with the second division and has been in the Rhine territory in Germany.

HEAR REPORTS ON DAY NURSERY

Thirty-one Families Represented During Month of July.

The following report was given at the regular monthly meeting of the board of the Decatur Day Nursery association held at the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday:

Number of families represented	31
Admitted during month	6
Returned	9
Largest number any one day	30
Smallest number any one day	13
Aggregate attendance	625
Number of days open	26

FREE KINDERGARTEN.

Four hundred and forty-nine children attended free kindergarten during the month of July. Miss Olivia Lons is in charge, assisted by Miss Florence Page and Miss Elizabeth Miller. The children were taken in cars to Nelson and Fairview Parks and treated to ice cream by Miss Jane Curtis and Mr. McFarland.

Gifts to the nursery during July were:

2,000 pound ice book—Mrs. Robert J. Hunt.

2 glasses of jelly—Miss Lons.

Dried corn — Mr. and Mrs. A. Kramer.

52 loaves of bread — Conklin's Bakery.

23 articles of clothing given to seven families.

166 articles of clothing donated to nursery.

The donors were Mesdames E. Towle, Hogle, Guy Ferre, William Pownall, Lathrop, Hostetler; Miss Gussie Gorin, Miss Lons and Social Service bureau, two hundred and fifty-five pieces were laundered by Schudel's.

HAVE HAD HEAVY RAINS IN MEXICO

Mexico City, July 20—(By Mail)—The rainfall during the past month has been the heaviest in many years and serious damage to crops is reported in several districts. Train service has been interrupted on nearly all lines and the isolation of several towns was completed when telegraphic communications were cut due to storms. So far as is now known there was no loss of life.

I. T. S. MOTORMAN DIES OF INJURIES

Lincoln, Aug. 6.—P. O. Price, I. T. S. motorman, who was injured when his car was derailed at East Peoria some weeks ago, died in St. Francis hospital, Peoria, at noon Tuesday. He had been unconscious since the accident. He is survived by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Mary Fishel, both of this city.

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The Famous Beautifier

Have you tried it yet? Thousands everywhere are using it. It is a wonderful tonic for the skin, defies hot summer sun and causes wrinkles, tan, freckles, sallow skin, blackheads, sun spots, roughness, ruddiness to quickly disappear. It brings roses to the cheeks and makes anyone look 10 years younger. Gives a youthfull complexion and "A skin you love to touch." A single application proves it. See large announcement soon to appear in this paper. Ask your druggist about it.

Church

Postpone Meetings.

The business meeting and banquet of the Christian Endeavor society of the Third United Brethren church which were to have been held Tuesday night were postponed because of the hot weather and because a number of the members are away on vacations.

To Serve Meals.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church took in $36 from the work of the wards at its meeting Tuesday afternoon. The women of the society will serve meals to the delegates of the Methodist W. F. M. S. conference when it meets here in October, but they have not made arrangements about the work yet.

To Sell Church.

The members of the Trinity Methodist church will make arrangements for building a new church as soon as they can dispose of their present church property. This property consists of the church and the parsonage a modern eight room house, and the lots, and is valued at $12,000. They will build the new church in the northeast part of the city.

Business Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the East Park Baptist church will have a business meeting Thursday afternoon at the Pines. They will have a picnic supper following the meeting.

Home From Visit.

Rev. Low D. Hill has returned from a visit with relatives in the southern part of the state. He visited in Centralia, Mt. Vernon, Salem and near Noll, which was his old home. He found that an oil company was boring for oil on the farm next to his old home. He will be in Decatur until Saturday and will be back next week after being away over Sunday preaching.

IRENE PENIWELL TO WED SEPT. 27

Engagement to Lindley B. Cruse at Pretty Party.

The engagement of Miss Irene Peniwell and Lindley B. Cruse was announced at a party given Tuesday night in the Peniwell home by Miss Lucile Peniwell for her sister. The wedding was announced for Sept. 27, the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Mont Peniwell, parents of the bride-to-be.

The girls who were entertained Tuesday night spent the evening dancing on the porch. Refreshments were served in the dining room. A yellow basket of sweetheart roses occupied the center of the table. Blue ribbon extended from the basket and were attached to the place cards, which were cupids bearing engagement and wedding rings. The ribbons were pulled from the basket and to one of them was attached the announcement and the date of the wedding. Wedding rings were at the ends of the other ribbons.

Miss Eileen and Miss Elizabeth Leederer were here from Springfield for the party.

Miss Peniwell is the daughter of Sheriff Mont Peniwell and wife. Mr. Cruse recently returned from overseas in the tank corps. He is the son of Mrs William Cruse.

115TH VETERANS IN SPRINGFIELD

Reunion Will be Held There Wednesday Aug. 20.

Secretary C. M. Imboden of the 115th Ill. Vol. Inf., Civil war veterans, has sent out a call to all surviving members announcing the annual reunion to be held in Springfield, on Wednesday, Aug. 20. Notices were mailed to 120 scattered addresses and already a number of these have come back, the postal authorities being unable to locate the members. The attendance at the reunion dwindles each year and last year only twelve members were present.

STREET CAR AND AUTOMOBILE MIX

Auto Is Knocked Into Truck Standing in Street.

A three-cornered automobile and street car smash occurred at the intersection of North Water street and Central avenue Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock. An automobile shot out of Central avenue into Water street, was struck by a north bound street car and was kicked the rest of the way across the street where it hit a truck. The truck was strictly neutral, merely an innocent bystander. The accident quickly attracted a crowd but nobody learned the names of any parties concerned or paid any attention to the numbers of the vehicles.

Spiritual Science.

The Spiritual Science Society will hold its regular message meeting at 7:30 Wednesday, night at 531 North Mercer street.

GIRLS! USE LEMONS FOR SUNBURN, TAN

Try it! Make this lemon lotion to whiten your tanned or freckled skin.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion whitener, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands and see how quickly the freckles, sunburn, windburn and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

LOOK

Dresses

Which were purchased far under the market price have just come in, and we are able to sell them at an astonishingly low figure.

ALL DAY WEDNESDAY AND UNTIL NOON THURSDAY

Voiles

And a few organdies, in all sizes, 16 to 44; dainty colors, which ordinarily would sell up to $12.50 **$3.98**

Ginghams and Lawns

All sizes and in light blues, pinks, plaids and checks at **$2.98**

Special on White Skirts

Two pockets, belt and button trim **$1.50**

Heiner's
143 N. WATER ST

White, ivory and ecru marquisette, 36 inches wide, regular 35c value, at a yard **25c**

White, ivory and ecru voile, 36 inches wide, regular 39c value, at a yard **25c**

Store Closes At Noon Thursday

DECATUR'S BUSY STORE — ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES

Stewart Dry Goods Co

227-235 N. WATER ST. — DECATUR, ILLS.

White and ecru scrim with 2-inch pressed edge, 27 inches wide, regular 15c grade, at a yard **10c**

50 pairs white scrim curtains, with flat edges trimmed with lace. The regular $1.25 curtains at, a pair **89c**

Come Early-Sacrifice Prices for Half Day

These Prices Are Offered To Make Thursday 3½ Hour Selling Equal A Full Day

Women's Wearing Apparel

Aprons — Large band aprons, made of blue and white check gingham, pocket trimmed; regular 85c value, Thursday morning special **59c**

Blouses — White voile blouses, some lace, other embroidery trimmed, sizes 36 to 46. Ten different models to choose from in $1.59 and $1.98 values. Thursday morning specials **98c**

Dresses — Children's gingham dresses in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12, in assorted check ginghams; regular $1.98 and $2.50 values. Thursday morning special **$1.50**

Dresses — Belted house dresses, V neck, sailor collar and long sleeves; made of light figured percales, sizes 36 to 46; $2.50 and $2.98 values; Thursday morning special **$1.98**

Coats — Tan and grey motor coats, cut cord and full button up to neck and belt all around; size 36 to 46; $3.98 to $5 value. Thursday morning special **$2.50**

Corsets — Nemo corsets, in odd and discontinued models, assorted sizes; $5, $6 and $7.50 values. Thursday morning special **$3.00**

Skirts — White tucked and button trimmed, pre-shrunk gabardine skirts; regular $5.98 and $6.50 values; waist band 25 to 31; Thursday morning **$3.98**

Hats Worth up to $7.50 Thursday A. M.

Only One Table at **$1** About 40 Hats

75c Children's White Wash Hats—to close out 25c

75c Voiles, 50c

About 75 pieces of 40 inch "Big Hit" Voiles, Pandora Voiles, 36-inch Duro Batiste, 27-inch Silk Stripe Voiles, 27-inch Silkized Foulards, in plain colors; also light and dark grounds, Thursday morning, a yard..... **50c**

Ribbon Specials

For Thursday morning we will place on sale 2,000 yards of beautiful ribbons in rich plaids and floral designs—in all the wanted colors. Worth from 39c to 50c a yard. Thursday morning, a yard **29c**

CHIFFON VOILE

Fine double thread plain white chiffon voile, 40 inches wide, worth 50c. Special, a yard **39c**

DRESS GOODS

Beautiful white dress goods in a nice variety of stripes, 39c values. Special, yard..... **29c**

Longcloth

100 bolts of English longcloth for underwear of all kinds, 30c values, ten-yard bolts ... **$2.49**

Ginghams

All our 29c dress and apron ginghams, fast colors, in a variety of patterns. Special a yard .. **22c**

Muslins

Good quality bleached or unbleached yard-wide muslin, 25c values, special, a yard **20c**

Damask

A good quality bleached mercerized table damask, 64 inches wide. Worth 69c. Special a yard **49c**

Percales

25c percales in nice new patterns, in all colors. Thursday morning six yards for **$1**

Toweling

A good quality linen weft crash toweling, bleached or unbleached, 25c values, special, a yard **20c**

69c Women's Union Suits

50 dozen high grade union suits, low neck styles, lace trimmed, tight and loose knee. All sizes up to 44. Thursday morning **38c**

Women's $1.50 silk hose, in black, white and colors. Thursday morning **$1.25**

Women's 89c silk hose, in black and white and colors. Thursday morning **69c**

39c Children's Hose, 25c

39c Children's school hose in black and white, slight imperfections will not in any way affect the wearing qualities. For Thursday morning, a pair.. **25c**

Basement Bargains

Four-seam House Brooms of good weight, full tip, 89c value, Thursday morning, each..... **50c**

"Swift's Pride" Laundry Soap, Thursday morning, 5 bars for **25c**

10-quart Galvanized Water Pail, Thursday morning, each **29c**

14-quart gray granite Dish Pans, worth 98c, Thursday morning, each **69c**

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LOST AND FOUND

Lost—At the carnival last night, purse containing Wabash Railroad pass and union card. Call Fairview 573.

Lost—Somewhere on road to Faries park 33x4 in. tire on rim. Finder please call A. Thompson, 241 N. Main, Main 403.

Lost or Strayed—From 115 Woodlawn Ave., orange and white cat, answers to the name of Sammie. Reward Main 402?

Lost—White Fox terrier with tag and collar; right ear black. Please call 788 or return to 130 W. North.

Lost—Small dark purple purse containing some money, deposit key and round old pin. Finder notify Mrs. M. H. Bas... and receive reward. 1103 W. Main. Phone ...05.

Lost—Lady's small gold wrist watch, with name Donna Wheeler on dial. Reward Amos Wheeler, 235 W. Wood.

Strayed or Stolen—White cat, liberal reward. Phone Main 2682. 272 W. Cerro Gordo.

Lost—Black, beaver hat, with chauffeur's badge No. 15087. Return to 118 Merchant St.

Lost—Sunday between 1000 block North College and S. Haworth, 21 jewel watch, gold hunting case, Plymouth. Please call Main 2451. F. F. Burns, 955 West Main. Reward.

WANTED—POSITIONS.

Wanted—Position as truck driver by married man with five years' experience as driver and repair man. Apply H-050, care Review.

Wanted—Position as housekeeper. Lady with child. City preferred. 547 North Broadway.

Wanted—Widower; place on farm. Have three children, girl ten, boy seven, and girl three with people without children that like children. Will work place on shares or month to suit parties. Am experienced. Call E-953 Care of Review.

WANTED—SALESMEN.

Wanted—Live salesmen with car to handle our rebuilt tire in your county, something new; territory going fast. District Manager, 1110½ N. Center St., Bloomington, Ill.

Salesman, Talking Machines. Good proposition, for experienced man. H-020, care of Review.

Wanted—Salesman and collector. Married man between ages of 25 and 35. Guaranteed salary and commission. Good future to right party Address H-003 care of Review.

WANTED—AGENTS.

Agents Wanted—From $3 to $6 a day. Call at 268 W. Eldorado.

WANTED—HELP.

Wanted—A waiter or waitress and a night cook. Illinois Restaurant.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Wanted—Messenger boys. Over 14 years old. Western Union Telegraph Co. 110 E. William St.

Wanted—Barber at once. Liston's Barber Shop.

Wanted—Young man to work at soda Fountain. Call Decatur Confectionery Main 4120.

Wanted—Experienced bakers, day work. National Bakery.

Wanted—An experienced soda man. Bell Drug Co.

Wanted—Men with or without experience as machine operators and packers. Apply at Faries Mfg. Co.

Tailor—To do bushelling; steady job; light workroom. J. R. Jordan, Tailors, 213 W. Main. Decatur, Ill.

Wanted—Clothing salesman for Saturdays, from 6 p. m. to 10 p. m. Gateleys, 346 N. Main.

Wanted—Driver for bread wagon. Experienced salesman. New England Bakery.

Wanted—Experienced Stove Blacker. Apply Scovill Co.

Wanted—Barber at once. Steady job. Union shop. Pays 70%, good for $25 up. J. W. Galster, Pana, Ill.

Wanted—Six young men for roof work. Apply Decatur Cornice & Roofing Co., 120 N. Main St.

Wanted—Metal Spinner. Apply Rex Electric Co. 114 East William St.

Chandlier Makers Wanted — Apply Rex Electric Co. 114 East William St.

Wanted—A tinner. Apply at N. Fahay's Hardware Store, at 1102 E. Eldorado.

Barber Wanted — For State Fair. Big money. Write or phone Capitol 372, A. W. Jones, 101 N. 5th St., Springfield, Ill.

Wanted—A steady first class barber. Mich. Kuhn. Pana, Ill.

Wanted—Good mechanic to fill vacancy. Case Service Station, 340 E. William St. Fairview 531.

Wanted—Wagon men and laborers. Polar Ice company.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

Wanted—Girls over 16 for factory work. Apply Faries Mfg. Co.

Wanted—Girls to work in Norman's Laundry. Shirt finishing, marking and sorting.

Wanted—Refined woman to take care of year old baby and assist with housework two in family. H-025, care Review.

Wanted — Competent refined working housekeeper; family of three. Good home. H-024, care of Review.

Girls Wanted—Shirt department, Decatur Model Laundry.

Wanted—Good wash woman to take washings home. Call Main 6098.

Wanted—One experienced waitress. Bower Johnson Co. Wabash Station.

Wanted—Two experienced waitresses. 242 N. Main. Strouse Cafe.

Wanted—Woman to do general housework no laundry. Family of two, modern home. Phone 80, Lovington, Ill.

Wanted—2 dining room girls at Myer's Hotel.

Wanted—Waitress. At once. Johnson's Hotel, 139 S. Water.

Wanted — Housekeeper. 704 E. North Street.

Wanted — Fitter and alteration hand. Steady position. Gately's, 346 N. Main.

Wanted — Ladies for photographic work. Experience unnecessary, if you are capable of learning and will stay permanently. No attention paid to phone calls. O. R. Willis, 255 N. Main.

WANTED—TO BUY.

Wanted to Buy—1 bath tub, 1 wash basin. Call Main 782.

Wanted to Buy—Electric motor from to 4 horse power. Main 817.

Wanted to Buy—This year's Dodge touring car will pay $900 in first class paper. Main 600.

Wanted to Buy—A modern 6 or 8 room house, west side, state price and location and when possession can be given, will not buy through agent. Address H-?96 care of Review.

Attention Men!—you need money, I need clothes; I don't claim to pay from $5 to $25 per suit and then offer a very low price. I pay what the suit is worth. A postal or phone call to BEN FISHER, 503 N. Water St., will receive immediate attention. Phone Main 4901. Look for Fisher's Misfit Clothing House.

Wanted to Buy—Rags, magazines and all kinds of metal. Call Fairview 200.

Highest cash price for second hand clothing, 545 Front St., Fairview 23.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted to Lease or Buy—From about Sept. 1st, 5 or 6 room modern bungalow or cottage. West or North. Call Mr. Chalmers, Main 7015.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY
Person to subject self to blood transfusion; liberal compensation; apply Drs. Brown and Jack or N. A. Grace, 1041 E. Main.

Wanted—An old house to be torn down for building lumber. Address H 010, care Review.

Wanted—Flat top desk. Call Main 373.

WANTED—PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING. C. D. DADEY. MAIN 3048.

Wanted—Hauling: Coal, cinders, trash and rubbish; prices reasonable. Call Main 3780.

Edward Condon wishes to inform his customers that he has returned from overseas and is renewing his business as painter and decorator. Main 4905.

Wanted — House painting of all kinds. Main 2118.

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Wanted—Work by A. Penick, general repair carpenter. Fairview 710.

Wanted—Dressmaking and sewing all of kinds and shirts. 1350 E. North. Phone Main 8506.

Wanted—Sewing to do at home. Call Main 1520.

Wanted—I can save you dollars on your tin and furnace work, also roofing of all kinds. Am out where rent is low, do my own work, and have been in business a lifetime. Will guarantee satisfaction in every respect. No job too small, no job too large. Shop and sample room 1252 N. Clinton. Tel. Fairview 128. H. J. Cullum.

Wanted—Roofing and general carpenter work. Main 3011. Call 560 E. Waggoner.

Wanted—Paper hanging; prompt service. D. M. Smith. Call after 6 p. m. Main 3371.

Wanted—All kinds of hauling, cinders, coal and brush. Call Main 3894.

William L. Huff, plasterer and contractor. Estimates gladly given. Main 914.

Wanted— Work to do by the day. Call Fairview 401.

Wanted—Carpenter repair work, shingling, asphalt roofing, etc. Fairview 200 13 E. Grand Ave.

Wanted — Hauling of any kind. Phone Fairview 859.

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Let Me make your well and repair your pump. Phone Main 4341 evenings.

Wanted—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. William Price 961 North Monroe. Phone 4431 and 2021.

WANTED—TO RENT.

Wanted—3 or 4 modern unfurnished rooms for man and wife. Address H 017 Care Review.

Wanted to Rent—By August 15, 3 modern unfurnished rooms, close in west preferred. Reference. Main 2048, evenings.

Wanted to Rent—Strictly modern bachelor's apartment to be shared by one or two gentlemen. Located in Decatur's best residence district. On street car line. References exchanged. H-904 care of Review.

Wanted to Rent—160 acres or more in Macon or adjoining county. Address H-001 care of Review.

Wanted to Rent—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Address H 036 care of Review.

Wanted to Rent—Business man and wife want modern house or apartment. No children. West side, excellent references. Call at 926 W. Wood.

Wanted To Rent—Four to six room bungalow or apartment, preferably in west end. Main 380.

Wanted to Rent—4 or 5 room house, modern or part. Can pay 6 months or more in advance. Address H-787 care Review.

Wanted to Rent—Farm near Decatur 100 to 160 acres, black muck soil. Possession March 1, 1920. 450 N. Morgan St., Decatur.

FOR RENT.

For Rent—3 good office rooms. Inquire at Farmers State Bank & Trust Co.

For Rent — Garage, concrete floor and water and lights. 1383 W. Main.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Furnished modern room at 132 West Prairie. Main 6130.

For Rent—Furnished rooms to working girls; privilege of kitchen. 850 S. Webster. Call after 5 p. m.

For Rent Sleeping room; private entrance. 653 East North St.

For Rent—Front room in west end. Gentleman preferred. 1097 W. Forest Ave.

For Rent—Two large modern rooms. 1035 W. King. Main 6170.

For Rent—Clean, cool sleeping rooms; board if desired. 985 N. Broadway.

For Rent—Furnished room. Private home. Modern. Gentleman preferred. References. 1071 W. Eldorado.

For Rent—To ladies employed, large front room in modern home. 505 W. William.

For Rent—2 furnished sleeping rooms. All modern. 1025 N. Union. Main 3474.

For Rent—2 to 4 unfurnished living rooms partly modern. Gebhart Block. A. F. Gebhart.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING.

For Rent—Two furnished modern rooms on first floor, sitting and bed room. No other rooms. Use of kitchen to high class couple. Six blocks west of Transfer House. Call Main 5270 or 3807.

For Rent—3 modern, unfurnished, light housekeeping rooms, northwest part. Call Main 4713.

For Rent—3 mod. furn. light housekeeping rooms. Cor. Clinton and Leafland Sts.

For Rent — 2 furnished modern front housekeeping rooms. Bath, private entrance, no children. 850 W. Leafland.

For Rent—2 rooms for light housekeeping private entrance, ground floor, light and gas furnished, no children. 930 E. Wood.

For Rent—3 or 4 well furnished rooms for housekeeping. Address G-254, care of Review.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

For Rent—4 room furnished house at 1225 W. Green.

For Rent—Beautifully furnished bungalow, west end. Double garage to responsible party. References required. Will be for rent until 1st of November. Address G-032 care of Review.

RABBITS AND HARES.

For Sale—Three angora rabbits, 9 weeks old. 1237 E. Leafland Ave.

POULTRY AND EGGS.

For Sale—Barred rock hens and pullets. Call 826 Johns Ave.

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

For Sale—Horse, harness and spring wagon. 2170 N. Woodford St.

For Sale—Horse, wagon, surrey and harness. Four nice pigs. 1704 E. Clay.

BIRDS, DOGS AND PETS

For Sale—All my birds and cages. Main 6077.

For Sale—Fine Hartz Mountain canary singer. 1404 E. Leafland. Main 3522.

For Sale—Hound pups. Part blood hound. Louis Jenkins, Harristown, Ill.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

For Sale—Buffet, round table and 6 dining room chairs, $40. Main 3393 this week.

For sale—Folding bed with mattress; good as new. 2039 N. Monroe.

For Sale—Folding bed, cheap if taken at once. Also glass fruit jars. 877 W. Main. Main 5074.

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For Sale—Oil stove, also graphaphone, writing desk, book case. Cheap if taken at once. 315 S. Water.

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For Sale—5 passenger touring car; good condition. $150.00 if sold this week. Call evening at 142 South Witt St.

For Sale—Cheap, nearly new Case 10-20 tractor. Has not run ten days. Looks like new. Also light six Auburn touring car in fine condition. Decatur Auburn Auto Co.

For Quick Sale—Splendid running Davis car by original owner. Six almost new tires. Call Main 3318.

For Sale Saxon roadster. Good condition, for $150 cash. Call at 1115 W. Macon. Fairview 865.

For Sale—1917 Maxwell, 5 passenger in No. 1 condition, at the Ford garage, Assumption, Ill.

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For Sale—In Excellent condition. Main 269.

For Sale—Ford Sedan, Ford Coupe, both cars in excellent condition. Repainted. Will sell at a bargain. O. L. Kilton, Monticello, Ill.

For Sale—One Overland, Model 90 touring, first class condition. Run 4,000 miles. One 1916 Ford touring in good running condition. One Oakland, light six. Call 435 Central Ave., after 8 p. m.

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1917 Buick Light Six Touring.
1917 Willys-Knight Coupe.
1914 four-cylinder Cadillac.
1917 Allen five-passenger Touring.
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1917 Mitchell Touring.
1917 Maxwell Touring.
1916 Maxwell Touring.
1917 Ford Roadster.
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1915 Ford Roadster.
1915 Ford Light Delivery Truck.
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31 x 4	...... 29.90	31.28
32 x 4	...... 30.76	32.16
33 x 4	...... 31.68	33.08
34 x 4	...... 32.56	33.96
32 x 4½	...... 39.88	40.88

K. and D. Store

104 E. Prairie St.

USED CARS.

1918 Dodge, 1918 Ford roadster, 1919 Ford roadster, 1917 Ford touring, 5 passenger, Chalmer, 7 passenger, Premier Cadillac, 4. Montgomery, 244 E. Wood, Main 406.

For Sale—Ford speedster; special gear. 1095 W. Main.

For Sale — Saxon-Six roadster, rebuilt throughout new, radiator, pistons, rings, top and paint, 4 good tires practically new, first class in every way. Will demonstrate to satisfaction of purchaser. Modern Welding Co., 140 N. Jackson.

For Sale—1917 Overland, first class condition. 1918 Maxwell, first class condition. 1917 Maxwell, first class condition. 1917 Ford touring car, first class condition. Buick light six, first class condition. 1916 Saxon, first class condition. Rogers' Garage, 244 E. Wood.

For Sale—Overland Chummy roadster, Model 90—1918 in fine shape, Phone 7 on 37, Mt. Zion, Henry Karch.

For Sale—Five passenger Buick, good condition, $250. Will take in trade grocer's delivery wagon and horse. 1200 N. Jasper. Main 6501.

If you are in the market for second hand trucks, touring cars, moving vans or transfer wagons, we have 25 of them in first class condition for sale cheap. Bowman Taxi and Transfer, 430 E. Prairie.

For Sale—1918 Auburn Touring Car. Tenney & Co.

USED CARS

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CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

That the roadway of Woodlawn Avenue, from the north line of West Main street, north to the south line of Interurban Way in the City of Decatur, Illinois, for the full width of twenty-five (25) feet between curbs shall be improved by excavating, grading and preparing sub-grade, by placing thereon a Portland cement concrete foundation five (5) inches in thickness, consisting of one (1) part Portland cement, three (3) parts of clean, sharp coarse sand, and five (5) parts of clean washed stone or gravel together with sufficient water to produce a mixture of such consistency that when struck off with a template it will hold its shape; a one (1) inch mortar cushion of clean, sharp, coarse sand, and Portland cement mixed in the proportions of one (1) part Portland cement and four (4) parts of said sand, spread on the concrete foundation and sprinkled with water; also a wearing surface of vitrified block brick, not less than three and one-half (3½) inches by three and three-fourths (3¾) inches, by eight and one-half (8½) inches, with a pitch mastic joint filler, consisting of equal parts of pitch and clean, sharp sand, thoroughly mixed, and a top dressing of one-fourth (¼) inch of sand, the necessary concrete curbing, the necessary manholes, catch basins and tile drains for the adequate drainage thereof, removing the present six (6) inch by twelve (12) inch concrete curbing, and the grading of all parkings, all complete in place, including labor and material, as per plat, plans, profile and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office of said city and in accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance providing for said improvement.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's Office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of five (5%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 19th day of August A. D. 1919 at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 1st day of August A. D. 1919.

CHARLES T. KELLAM, Commissioner.

RALPH J. MONROE, Corporation Counsel.

CITY ADVERTISING

ORDINANCE NUMBER 384.

AN ORDINANCE to preserve the peace on Sunday and to promote the health and welfare of persons engaged in certain skilled trades of service to the person in public shops by establishing a uniform day of rest on which such shops shall be closed.

Be it Ordained by the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois:

SECTION 1. All public shops within the City of Decatur wherein persons are employed or engaged in skilled trades of service to the person for the public for hire shall be closed on the first day of the week, commonly known as Sunday.

SECTION 2. Such skilled trades of service to the person within this ordinance shall include barbers, face masseurs, hair masseurs and manicurists.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall not affect callings for the treatment of disease, including health masseurs, chiropractors and osteopaths; nor shall this ordinance affect the right of any barber, masseur or manicurist to practice his trade in private in his own or his customer's home or in the private room of a hotel for its occupant.

SECTION 4. Whoever shall violate this ordinance by keeping open or permitting to be kept open to the public for the purpose of practicing any of said skilled trades of service to the person for hire any shop or public place of business, including barber and manicuring shops, or be so engaged therein, shall be fined upon conviction for the first offense the sum of ten dollars and for each subsequent offense not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in so far as they may be in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty days from and after its passage and due publication as required by law.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall be published as provided by law.

Presented this 28th day of July, 1919.

Passed this 4th day of August, 1919.

Approved this 4th day of August, 1919.

Recorded this 4th day of August, 1919.

Published this 6th day of August, 1919.

CHARLES M. BORCHERS, Mayor.

Attest: R. B. ZEIGLER, City Clerk.

State of Illinois, County of Macon, City of Decatur, ss:

I, R. B. Zeigler, City Clerk in and for the city of Decatur, Ill., do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the Council and passed on the 4th day of August A. D. 1919. That the original of which the foregoing is a true copy is entrusted to me for safekeeping and that I am the lawful custodian of same, and that this publication is made in accordance with the law.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 6th day of August, A. D. 1919.

R. B. ZEIGLER, City Clerk.

(Seal)

CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

That the roadway of Cushing Street from the West line of North Monroe Street, west to the east line of Maple Avenue in the City of Decatur, Illinois, for the full width of twenty-five (25) feet between curbs and including that portion of said Cushing street from the curb line thereof to the lot line thereof for the full width of thirteen (13) feet between curbs of the intersecting alley shall be improved by excavating, grading and preparing sub-grade, by placing thereon a Portland cement concrete foundation five (5) inches in thickness, consisting of one (1) part of Portland cement, three (3) parts of clean, sharp, coarse sand, and five (5) parts of clean washed stone or gravel, together with sufficient water to produce a mixture of such consistency that when struck off with a template it will hold its shape; a one (1) inch mortar cushion of clean, sharp, coarse sand, and Portland cement mixed in the proportions of one (1) part Portland cement and four (4) parts of said sand, spread on the concrete foundation and sprinkled with water; also a wearing surface of vitrified block brick, not less than three and one-half (3½) inches by three and three-fourths (3¾) inches, by eight and one-half (8½) inches, with a pitch mastic joint filler, consisting of equal parts of pitch and clean, sharp sand, thoroughly mixed, and a top dressing of one-fourth (¼) inch of sand, the necessary concrete curbing, the necessary manholes, catch basins, and tile drains for the adequate drainage thereof, all complete in place, including labor and material, as per plat, plans, profile and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office of said city and in accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance providing for said improvement.

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Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 1st day of August A. D. 1919.

CHARLES T. KELLAM, Commissioner.

RALPH J. MONROE, Corporation Counsel.

LEGAL NOTICES.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon, ss. Case No. 25391.

In the Circuit Court, October Term, A. D. 1919.

Mary S. Lindley vs Joan C. Guerin, et al, in Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that Joan C. Guerin, if living, Henrietta L. Nelson, if living, Harriet Maxom and Harriet Moxom who are alleged to be the same person if living, James W. Welton and Martha A. Welton if living, or, to their devisees, heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, and the unknown spouses of each of and deceased interested parties, and the unknown owners, and the unknown parties interested in the SW-¼ of the NW-¼ and the South half of the NW-¼ of the NW-¼, Section 32, Tp. 18 N, R. 4 E., 3rd, P.M. of the defendants in the above entitled cause, are non-residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Joan C. Guerin, if living, Henrietta L. Nelson if living, Harriet Maxom and Harriet Moxom who are alleged to be the same person if living, James W. Welton and Martha A. Welton if living, or, to their devisees, heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, and the unknown spouses of each of and deceased interested parties, and the unknown owners and the unknown parties interested in the SW-¼ of the NW-¼ and of the South half of the NW-¼ of the NW-¼, Section 32, Tp. 18 N, R. 4 E., 3rd P.M., that the above complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, the said Joan C. Guerin, if living, Henrietta L. Nelson, if living, Harriet Maxom and Harriet Moxom who are alleged to be the same person, if living, James W. Welton and Martha A. Welton, if living, or, to their devisees, heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, and the unknown spouses of each of and deceased interested parties, and the unknown owners and the unknown parties interested in the SW-¼ of the NW-¼ and the South half of the NW-¼ of the NW-¼, Section 32, Tp 18 N. R. 4 E. 3rd P.M., returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the first Monday of October A. D. 1919. Now unless you, the said Joan C. Guerin, if living, Henrietta L. Nelson, if living, Harriet Maxom and Harriet Moxom, who are alleged to be the same persons, if living, James W. Welton and Martha A. Welton, if living, or, to their devisees, heirs executors, administrators or assigns, and the unknown spouses of each of and deceased interested parties, and the unknown owners, and the unknown parties interested in the SW-¼ of the NW-¼ and the South half of the NW-¼ of the NW-¼, Section 32, Tp 18 N. R. 4 E. 3rd P.M., shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this fourth day of August, A. D. 1919.

JOHN ALLEN, Clerk Circuit Court.
J. L. Hicks, Solicitor for Complainant.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of August, 1919 an election will be held in and for the Decatur School District, in the County of Macon, and State of Illinois, for the purpose of voting upon the proposition of levying a two per cent tax for educational purposes in Decatur School District.

Polling places for such election have been established by the Board of Education, pursuant to statute in the school buildings known as the High School, Pugh Street school, Oakland Street school, Durfee School, Jasper Street School and Jackson street school.

The polls will be opened at 2:00 o'clock p. m., and closed at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

The Board of Education of Decatur School District.

By R. C. AUGUSTINE, President.

R. B. YOUNG, 63, DIES SUDDENLY

Clinton, Aug. 6.—R. Bruce Young, 29 West South street, died suddenly at his home at 10:15 o'clock last night. His death was a great shock to the family, for although he had previously suffered similar attacks of heart trouble, he was apparently in fair health yesterday, and had worked all day.

Mr. Young was born in Farmer City sixty-three years ago. In 1895, Mr. Young moved to this city, and for five years was engaged in the grocery business on the north side of the public square. For the past twenty years he had been head bookkeeper in the State Bank of this city.

Surviving with the wife, are the following children: W. Emery Young, Bakersfield, Cal.; R. Bruce Young, Jr., San Francisco, Cal.; A. Alleda Young, Clinton, and T. Harwood Young, Clinton. There are also two grandchildren, Marjorie A. and R. Bruce, III, children of R. Bruce Young, Jr. A brother, Thomas, resides in Wellington, Kan., and a sister, Miss Zelba Young, whose home is in Farmer City, is at present in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mr. Young was widely known throughout the county, and was held in the highest respect by all. While in business, and later, while in the bank, his pleasant, genial manner, together with his integrity of character, gained him hosts of friends. He was a member of the local Methodist church, and of Dewitt lodge, No. 84, A. F. and A. M.

BIG CROWD AT FAIR.

A huge crowd, estimated at 3,000, the biggest on record for an opening day, thronged the fair grounds yesterday.

The value of well-kept oiled roads, was made manifest yesterday, all the improved roads quickly drying off, while there was no time that the oiled roads were not in perfect condition.

The rain improved the race track, although it delayed the races for about an hour. By the time the races started, at 3 o'clock, the track was in perfect condition, hard and smooth, with no dust on it, and just right for the big, speedy races that came off on schedule.

Never before have such large entry lists been seen, or such good horses ever raced on the local track. Under the direction of Col. Judd McGown, the races went off without a hitch.

RACE RESULTS.

2:30 trot—Peter Lafayette, first; second, Joe McGregor; third, Imalone; fourth, High Knob; time, 2:13¾.

2:12 pace — Harold Montgomory, first; Dr. Brooks and Javelin divided second and third money; fourth, Golden Bell; time, 2:12¼.

Half mile dash — Judge Snooks, first; Flash of Steel, second; Lillia C., third; Stutz Bear Cat, fourth; time, 50 sec.

MRS. ARTHUR DIES.

Friends in this city have been notified of the death Tuesday of Mrs. W. H. Arthur, a former well-known resident of this city, but for the past few years of South Haven, Mich. The body will be brought to Clinton for burial, arriving late today or Thursday morning. Deceased was the mother of five children, four of whom, with the husband survive.

MAY AMPUTATE LEG.

Floyd Hahn, deputy county treasurer was taken to Chicago yesterday where he will in all probability submit to the amputation of his right leg at the hip, the trouble being diagnosed as tuberculosis of the bone, and it is thought the limb must be sacrificed to save the young man's life. Mr. Hahn's home is in Kenney, but he has made Clinton his temporary home since his appointment to the office of deputy.

The discovery of his condition was entirely acidential when he was curious to learn about a lump near his hip, and asked Dr. W. R. Marshall to examine it. Dr. Marshall sent him to the Kelso sanitarium in Bloomington and there the X-ray was taken which showed the bone largely eaten away.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Estate of Morris J. Kemper deceased. The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Morris J. Kemper, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 22nd day of July 1919.

LOUISE M. KEMPER, Administratrix.
WALTERS & LATHAM, Attorneys.

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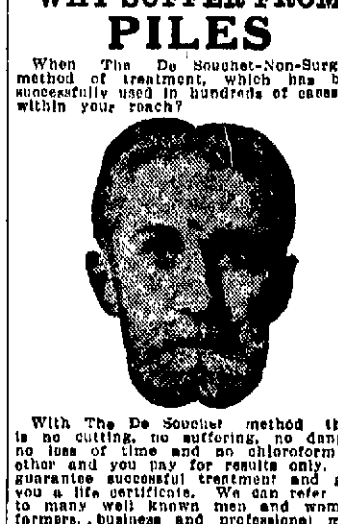

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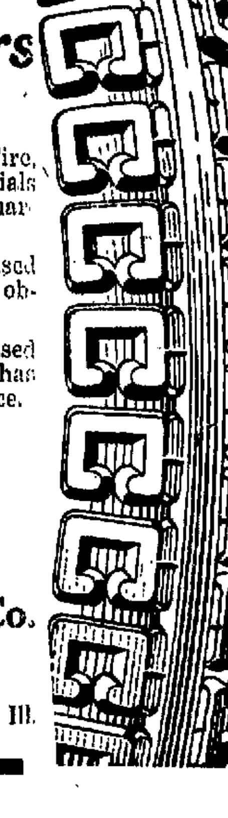

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BIG CROP OF PECANS PROMISED

Effingham, Aug. 6.—The greatest pecan crop in a decade will be gathered in the Wabash valley pecan groves this fall, according to the nut growers who have gone over the district. The settling of the nuts on some of the older trees indicate that a record will be made. South of Carmi in the New Haven district the native orchards are the largest in the state, and have for the past two years borne very little. The bloom this year was very heavy and was followed by a heavy percentage of nuts setting. The Wabash valley pecan groves have keen kept intact from the woodsman's ax and they are now returning their appreciation pecuniarily.

Local Notices

DANCE TONIGHT.

Fairview park, Auspices Degree of Honor, lodge No. 1. Prize waltz. White's orchestra.

BUFFALO, CATFISH.

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NEWS SUMMARY

Portsmouth, England—The Prince of Wales has sailed for Canada.

Washington—Gen. Pershing has cabled the war department that on July 31 a total of 98,497 troops were still overseas.

Havana — The present trend of events in Cuba point to a higher price for the 1919-20 crop of sugar than the present figure established by the United States equalization board.

Cleveland—Damage estimated at nearly $2,000,000 to crops and property resulted from rain and electrical storms that swept northern Ohio Tuesday.

Washington — Department of justice agents in all parts of the country have been instructed to report all violations of the Lever food control act and to ferret out all hoarders and profiteers in foodstuffs.

Washington—The senate confirmed the nomination of John Barton Payne of Illinois to be a member of the United States shipping board.

Berlin — Former Finance Minister Witousky of the West Ukraine republic was a passenger aboard a large German airplane which fell Monday, killing seven of the occupants.

NO WALKOUT YET AT MATTOON

Mattoon, Aug. 6.—There will be no walkout at the local shops of the Big Four and Illinois Central unless orders to quit work are received from B. M. Jewell, acting president of the railway employes' department of the American Federation of Labor. This was decided at a meeting of shops employes of the two railroads, which was held on Monday evening at the Red Men's hall.

Local officials of the two railroads have been counseling the men to deliberate before voting to strike, and they say they believe there will be no serious difficulty. The men were working Tuesday at each of the shops without displaying any unrest.

The employes at the Beech Grove shops of the Big Four walked out at 11 o'clock on Monday as a result of a meeting held in Indianapolis on Sunday afternoon, but word which reached Mattoon was to the effect that the men had resumed work, pending orders from the federation officials at Washington.

The Burnsides employes of the Illinois Central walked out last week. The men at the Twenty-seventh street roundhouse at Chicago also went out, according to word received here. The men at this roundhouse have charge of the terminal engines and passenger engines of the company.

LOVINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pargeon and daughters, Thelma and Fay, visited in Danville Monday.

C. G. McCravey of Decatur spent Sunday here the guest of his sister, Miss Minnie McCravey.

Mrs. Alice Sullivan and Crete Kearney are camping at Woodbine this week.

Miss Eva Sharp was a Decatur shopper Tuesday.

The pavement on State street has been completed up to Bryon Chesner's corner.

W. I. McMullin and family spent Sunday in Macon, the guests of Fred Joston and family.

J. N. Foster and family were in Blackland Sunday visiting with Mrs. Carrie Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fread and daughter, Nina, have returned home from a visit in Clayton, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and daughters, Ellen and Eleanor, are moving to Decatur to make their home. Mr. Johnson has a position in a garage.

Leonard McMullin and Bernard Reese were in Assumption Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Charles Gregory and daughter, Ruth, visited with Mrs. Gregory's mother, Mrs. Ruth Duscomb, in Decatur Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Lugg of Cerro Gordo visited here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Munch are spending the week in Chicago.

A surprise party was given Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hockle in honor of their daughter, Juanita's fourteenth birthday. A large number of her school friends were present. Refreshments were served and all had an enjoyable evening.

W. H. Murphy, who was paralyzed a few months ago, is improving slowly. He was able to be taken up town in a car for a short time Tuesday evening.

Rev. J. P. Cummins and family, who are spending their vacation in Colorado, write their friends that they will leave for home Monday morning. They are making the trip in their car.

Harry C. Kearney is in St. Louis this week.

Miss Emabel McDaniel, who has taught in the Lovington Public school for the past two years, has been engaged to teach in Decatur.

Mrs. Mary Davidson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas Middleton, of Assumption.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson are making arrangements for moving to Pana where Mr. Simpson has accepted a position as inspector in the coal mine, the position he held in the Lovington mine.

Mrs. George Harris and Mrs. J. A. Green were in Sullivan Tuesday afternoon.

RAINS OVER STATE HELP CORN CROP

Springfield, Aug. 6.—Rains falling in the week ending Tuesday, Aug. 5, helped corn throughout Illinois, according to the weekly report of the federal weather bureau issued today.

"Light to excessive rain checked the drought somewhat in most areas," the report states, "greatly benefitting corn, meadows and pastures, but good rains are needed in many places.

"Corn is in excellent condition in the north, average to very good in central and poor to satisfactory in the south."

MARKETS

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland).

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Following is range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yes.
CORN—					
Sept	...179 @182	182¼	177	182	174
Dec	...148 @152	152½	146¼	151¼	148
May	...144 @148	149	144	148¾	140¼
OATS—					
Sept	... 72 @ 73	73¼	70¼	72¾	69
Dec	... 74 @ 77	77	73¾	75¾	71¾
May	... 77 @ 78	79	76	79⅞	74¾
PORK—					
Sept	... 4500@	4600	4500	4600	4450
Oct	......@	....	....	....	....
LARD—					
Sept	... 3125@	3165	3120	3140	3125
Oct	... 3110@	3140	3090	3125	3110
RIBS—					
Sept	... 2645@	2660	2600	2630	2645
Oct	......@	....	....	....	....

MARKET GOSSIP

PRICE CURRENT.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The Price Current Reporter today says the crop prospects in the country has been somewhat reduced by unfavorable weather but it will probably be in the neighborhood of 2,800,000,000 bushels of corn. Oats threshing returns indicate a crop somewhat smaller than the trade had been looking for, or a total below the two previous crops. Some of the new crop has been light in weight. There is no material change indicated in the spring wheat outlook.

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Inspected cars—Wheat, 500; corn, 50; oats, 175.

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	637	201	611	960
Corn	95	50	98	135
Oats	290	247	291	338

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

New York, Aug. 6.—Cotton futures opened steady: October $31.00 to $1.40; December $31.70; January $31.55; March $31.48; May $31.60.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts—	Today.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	2,644,000	4,049,000
Corn	204,000	695,000
Oats	1,107,000	1,753,000
Shipments—		
Wheat	995,000	752,000
Corn	254,000	284,000
Oats	532,000	514,000

LIVE STOCK

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 6.—Bower and Bower report—HOGS—Receipts 1,500 head; market lower. Yorkers and mixed, $22.00 to $22.05; pigs, $19.50; calves $21.00; lambs, $16.00 to $18.50. Cattle, $4.50 to $15.00.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, Aug. 6.—HOGS—Receipts 9,000 head; market 50 cents lower; all weights, $21.50; pigs $19.50@20.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 700 head; market strong.

SHEEP—Receipts 300 head; market steady.

St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, Aug. 6.—HOGS—Receipts 7,000 head; market lower; top price $22.40; bulk of sales, $21.75@22.25; medium weight, $21.75@22.40; light weight, $21.50@22.25; light light, $20.25@21.00; packing sows, $17.50@20.00; pigs, $12.00@20.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 5,000 head; market strong; beef steers, medium and heavy weight; medium and good, $12.75@17.50; light weight good and choice $14.00@16.75; butcher cattle heifers, $7.75@15.50; cows, $7.50@13.00; veal calves light and handy weight, $14.00@17.50; feeder steers, $7.50@12.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,500 head; market steady to higher; lambs 84 pounds down, $14.25@16.25; yearling wethers, $10.00@11.00; ewes medium and choice, $8.50@9.00.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 6.—HOGS—Receipts 9,000 head; market slow; bulk of sales, $20.75@21.00; heavy, $21.50@21.80; medium $21.15@21.75; light, $21.00@21.75; light light, $20.75@21.25; packing sows, $19.50@21.50; pigs $18.00@20.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 6,000 head and 500 head calves; market steady to 25 cents higher; heavy beef steers, choice and prime, $16.85@18.75; medium and good, $13.50@16.65; light weight, good and choice, $14.35@17.05; butcher cattle, heifers, $6.40@14.15; cows, $6.35@12.40; veal calves, light and handy weight, $13.75@14.75; feeder steers, $9.50@15.25.

SHEEP—Receipts 7,000 head; market generally steady; lambs, $12.00@16.00; yearling wethers, $9.00@11.25; ewes, $6.25@9.25; feeder lambs, $12.75@14.50.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Aug. 6.—Live stock market very unsettled. Very weak and slow. Rail embargo curtails shipping. No established market.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—HOGS—Receipts 7,000 head; market mostly steady at yesterday's lowest figures; top price, $22.25; heavy, $20.10@22.10; medium weight, $20.25@22.25; light weight, $20.00@22.15; light light, $19.25@21.00; packing sows, smooth, $18.00@20.00; pigs, $17.50@19.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 7,000 head; market strong; beef steers, medium and heavy weight; choice and prime, $17.25@18.90; medium and good, $12.40@17.25; light weight good and choice, $14.00@18.00; common and medium, $9.50@14.00. Butcher cattle: heifers, $7.00@14.65; cows, $6.75@13.85; veal calves, light and handy weight, $17.25@18.25; feeder steers, $8.00@13.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 20,000 head; market unsettled; lambs, 84 pounds down, $13.40@16.85; yearling wethers, $9.50@12.50; ewes, medium, good and choice, $7.00@9.00.

PRODUCE

New York Sugar.

New York, Aug. 6.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, $7.28; fine granulated, $9.00.

New York Produce.

New York, Aug. 6.—BUTTER — Firm; receipts 10,771 tubs; creamery higher than extras, 55@55½c; creamery extras (92 score) 54½c; first 52@54c; packing stock current make No. 2, 46c.

EGGS—Irregular; receipts 27,763 cases; fresh gathered extras, 54@55c; do extra firsts, 51@53c; firsts, 47@50c.

CHEESE—Weak; receipts 4,804 boxes; state whole milk flats current make specials, 32½@33½c; do average run, 31½@32¼c; state whole milk twins current make specials, 32¼@32¾c; do average run, 31@32c.

POULTRY—Alive steady; broilers, 36@40c; old roosters, 22c; others unchanged. Dressed steady; chickens, 30@41c; fowls, 28@40c; others unchanged.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—BUTTER—Lower; Lower; creamery 46@52c.

EGGS—Receipts 11,407 cases; unchanged.

POULTRY—Alive higher; springs 32@34c; fowls, 31c.

POTATOES—Strong; arrivals 21 cars; Kansas, Illinois and Minnesota early Ohios, sacked, car lots, $4.25 cwt.; Irish cobblers, Virginia, car lots, $9.00 barrel; California long whites, sacked, car lots, $4.25@4.35 cwt.

GRAIN

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—CORN—No. 2 mixed nominal; No. 2 yellow, $1.96½.

OATS—No. 2 white, 71¾@74c. No. 3 white, 70@74c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.46@1.46¼.

BARLEY—$1.25@1.38.

TIMOTHY—$10.00@11.50.

CLOVER—Nominal.

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—$31.50.

RIBS—$25.75@26.75.

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Aug. 6.—CORN—Unchanged; No. 6 yellow, $1.87; sample, $1.83.

OATS—Unchanged at ½c lower; No. 1 white, 71c; No. 2 white 70¾@71½c; No. 3 white, 70½c.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 6.—CORN—No. 2, $1.98; No. 2 white, $2.02½@2.06.

OATS—No. 3, 67½@69½c; Nos. 3 white, 72½@73c.

CORN SWINGS UP 9 CENTS

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Tremendous rebounds in all grain and provision markets took place today. The sole cause of the advance was the government decision that wheat prices would be kept on the guaranteed basis of $2.26 a bushel.

Rushes to buy corn swept that market upward in the liveliest possible fashion, and later prevented any material recession. This was not deemed surprising in view of the fact that corn in the last week had suffered a decline of 32 cents. Opening prices ranged from 3¼ to 9½c up, with September $1.79 to $1.82, and December $1.48 to $1.52. After a full hour, the market was still near the top of the range which had been established in the first minute of business.

Numerous attempts to depress the market proved unavailing. The close was strong, near the top figures of the ady, 7 to 9 cents net higher with September $1.81½ to $1.82, and December $1.51 to $1.51½.

Oats rose with corn. After opening 2 to 5½c higher, including September at 72 to 73c, the market continued to display strength, though not to the same relative degree as corn.

Provisions were sharply higher also. Demand, however, was of only a scattering character.

Foreign buying of lard was a bullish factor, but offerings of all kinds of provisions increased on the advance, and brought about something of a reaction, which however, failed to last.

CORN RECOVERS FROM WEAKNESS

Local Mills Offer $1.80 on Chicago Strength.

After a wild break in corn and oats prices Tuesday afternoon, caused by a fear of what the grain corporation might do in reducing the price of wheat the recovery Wednesday morning was just as violent following the announcement that the wheat price would be maintained.

Corn at the opening Wednesday morning, was eight cents higher than Tuesday's close and, after a re-action of about two cents held consistently to the advance until noon with prospects that the panicky situation had about passed.

CORN $1.80.

Locally corn prices were reduced from those quoted Tuesday to $1.80 a bushel but the extreme low mark quoted Tuesday afternoon by some of the buyers here, $1.75, was not held Wednesday.

A decidedly more optimistic feeling pervaded the market, the effect of the railroad situation being largely discounted in the conviction that the radical element in the railroad workers' ranks would not eventually control the situation.

This feeling was reflected in the steadier and stronger tone in stocks, railroads as well as industrial showing advances.

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

No. 2 wheat	$2.07@$....
White corn	1.80@ ....
Yellow corn	1.80@ ....
Oats	.68@ ....
Rye	1.35@ ....

Live Stock.
(Quoted daily by Danzeisen Packing Co.)

Heavy sows	18.00@ 18.50
Choice young hogs, 225-250 lbs.	20.00@ 21.00
Young hogs, 175-200 lbs.	19.00@ 20.00
Light pigs, 100-120 lbs.	10.00@ 14.00
Choice steers	12.00@ 12.50
Shipping steers	11.50@ 12.00
Butcher steers	6.00@ 7.00
Choice cows	9.00@ 11.00
Medium cows	8.00@ 10.00
Bulls	7.50@ 9.00
Choice heifers	11.00@ 12.00
Heifers medium	10.00@ 11.50
Sheep	7.00@ 8.00
Lambs	13.50@ ....
Calves	9.00@ 11.00

Butter and Eggs.
(Quoted by Max Atlas)
(Quotations to Producer).

Eggs	.40
Butter, packing	.40

Poultry.
(Quotations to producers by Max Atlas).

Hens, medium	.26
Hens, 4½ pounds, and over	.26
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs.	.20
Cocks	.13
Stags	.15
Old Toms	.25
Young turkeys, 8 lbs. and over	.30
Geese	.10
Ducks, large	.22
Indian Runner ducks	.14
Live pigeons, per dozen	.60

Hide Market.
(Quoted by Simon Burstein).

Beef Hides, (green) per pound	.45c@ ....
Beef Hides, (cured) per lbs.	.48c@ ....
Horse Hides, (small), each	6.00@ 13.00
Horse Hides (large) each	$17.50@ ....
Pony Hides, each	3.50@ 8.00
Sheep Pelts each	1.00@ 2....
Calf skins, 8 to 15 lbs., per lb.	.65@ ....

Wool.
(Quoted by Simon Burstein).

Bright medium, per lb.	.55@ ....
Burry	.40@ ....

ARGENTA.

Miss Adah Hilbrant returned home Saturday from a few weeks' visit with relatives near Westervelt.

Mrs. Mary Parr received a telegram Monday from her son, Ott, who is in New York. He has just returned from France.

Miss Lute Parr has accepted a position at the Warner hospital in Clinton.

Miss Grace Wilson is visiting in Mattoon.

Miss Mattie Swick visited Sunday in Indianapolis. She was accompanied home by her neice, Ruth Pasley of Hoyt, Kan., age 9, who traveled from Hoyt to Indianapolis in charge of the conductors.

Miss Fannie Locker, who has been visiting C. D. Majors and family for the past two weeks, returned Tuesday to her home in Detroit, Mich.

Rev. Homer Montgomery and wife returned Monday from a visit with relatives near Alton.

Larkin Fesler went to White Heath Monday to visit relatives.

Miss Mirian Reed is spending a few days in Bloomington.

Ralph Heinle and Leo Duncan are visiting in Colorado.

Mrs. Tom Miller visited Monday and Tuesday in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. Russel Helmick.

Howard Helmick of Decatur visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Helmick.

Mrs. Mattie Evans, who fell a week ago and broke her knee cap, is slowly improving.

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STRIKERS REFUSE TO RESUME WORK

Trainmen Brotherhood Tries to Settle Unauthorized Walkout, Which Is Hurting Them.

On the surface the Wabash strike appears to be just where it was three days ago or five days ago. All of the shopmen, round house men and car inspectors are out. The clerks have been out since Monday. The roundhouse laborers went out in the very beginning, returned to work Saturday night and are now out again. They all assert their determination to stay out.

Under the surface there are currents and counter currents that may mean much or nothing. It is now generally and frankly admitted that the strike was unauthorized by the national officials of the railroad organizations and it continues in violation of their orders to return to work. If the strike against orders continues to gain ground it will ultimately bring about a complete tie up of all the railroads. If it does not gain ground the strike will be short lived Today probably will tell the tale.

REFUSE TO RETURN.

A meeting was held Wednesday morning in Ryan & Higgins hall of the striking railroad men and representatives of the four brotherhoods who are not striking. The brotherhood men were present with the object of suggesting some means of ending the strike. Most of them are idle and will remain idle as long as the strike continues. The striking unions reiterated their intention of staying out.

A brotherhood man after the meeting said: "They are not getting anywhere. They are not conducting any negotiations. The Wabash is powerless to settle with them. The strike is unauthorized and no body is in position to settle with them. In the meantime it is hurting the Wabash. The business of the roads is going to other lines. We are idle and to no purpose. The only thing which the striking unions are doing is trying to get others to join them."

EXPLAINS STRIKE.

A man who belongs to one of the striking unions when asked Wednesday morning about the strike situation sized it up as follows:

"There are three things that have brought about this strike. First, there is the high cost of living which we all know about. Second, Washington is too slow about adjusting any matter that is brought up to them. Third, a lot of union men are sore at their national officials and this is a beginning of an effort to oust them.

"Now as to the time this strike will last that all depends. As I see it the matter at issue is a national question and the only way to settle it is to go about it in a national way. It can't be settled by a local strike.

"As to whether the national officials are right or wrong in not making this a national issue at this time, I have only to say that I believed in obeying the law or rule that applies. If it is a bad law or a bad rule abolish the law or rule as soon as you can get at it, but obey it while it is still standing."

CLERKS STAY OUT.

National President Forrester of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks telegraphed the clerks to return to duty. They have not done so and there is no indication so far of their intention to obey the order. According to the statement of a railway clerk this morning there is a feeling on their part that their grand president has not done as much for them as some of the other grand presidents have done for their people. In other words they are not pleased with Grand President Forrester. Whether this dissatisfaction takes the form of open rebellion will no doubt depend upon trend of events. If more railroads flock to the standard of the striking lines it means that President Forrester will go the way of Central American presidents.

SOME GOING BACK.

Superintendent Stumpf felt Wednesday morning that there are about as many men coming back to work as there are going out. Every day a road here and there is reported as going out, but at various points men are going back to work. The Wabash men at Landers, the Chicago freight terminal, are reported to have gone back to work Wednesday morning.

The Wabash clerks at Springfield are not out and East St. Louis is said to be still at work.

PASENGER RUNNING.

Wabash passenger trains are still running with a reasonable degree of regularity. No. 15, the day train from Chicago to St. Louis had an engine failure on the north end and was reported an hour and a half late at Decatur. It is naturally expected that engine failures will become more and more frequent as the strike continues until there are no longer engines fit for use.

No. 51, the local passenger train from the east arrived Wednesday morning pulled by one of the big 2400 freight engines. The side rods were clanking with a loud and dismal clank that could be heard for several blocks. That engine needed round house attention. The keyes of the side rods bearings needed to be tightened and possibly new brasses put in. But the condition of the engine was not nearly so serious as the noise would indicate to the layman. It may run many trips without attention or it may fail at any time.

MOVE FREIGHT.

The C. I. & W. railroad has moved a bunch of freight which the Wabash dumped on this road at DOecatur. There were about seventy-five cars in all to be moved and these have been disposed of.

Ticket Agent S. A. Hoss and Trainmaster C. E. Ochletree Wednesday were attending the funeral of Frederick Hess at Villa Grove. John Springs, one of the night ticket men who is called out by the clerks strike is authorized by his union to take the place of Mr. Hess while the latter is away at this funeral.

The ticket office is now being operated with a force of three men. They are Mr. Hess, the head of the office, E. H. Shimer, his assistant and Division Passenger Agent H. F. Gardner who is taking his turn at the ticket window.

NO DISTURBANCE.

Patrolman W. R. Adams who has the depot beat goes out of his way to say a pleasant word for the conduct of the striking shop men who have been about the Wabash station in large numbers since the strike began. "I have never seen a better behaved set of men or more quiet and orderly than this crowd of railroad men have been. There never has been the semblance of disorder or the slightest appearance of misconduct."

Depot Agent Groves of the American Railway Express who is also chairman of the grievance committee had this to say concerning a report that the express employes in Decatur were going out.

NO STRIKE INTENDED.

"This report is entirely without authority. We are organized but we have not the least intention of going out on a strike. We belong to the express employes branch of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks. We are not asking for an increase of wages, but we are entire sympathy with the clerks if not meant to reduce the high cost of living."

"There is a bit of poetic justice in the strike of the railway clerks," said one person Wednesday who is in entire sympathy with the clerks if not altogether in sympathy with the strike. The railroads steadily refused to recognize the rights of the clerks to better pay until the clerks formed a union and forced it on them. If the railroads had recognized the rights of the clerks years ago as they did those of the powerful brotherhood there would never have been any brotherhood of railroad clerks. The clerks worked on year after year, hoping for something from the railroads.

DR. C. F. WISHART STOPS IN CITY

Meets Members of Millikin Board at Luncheon.

Dr. C. F. Wishart of Chicago, president of the college board of the Presbyterian church, stopped in Decatur a few hours Wednesday on his way from Denver to Chicago.

Dr. Wishart met a number of members of the Millikin board at luncheon at the Orlando hotel Wednesday noon to talk over Presbyterian college affairs.

Dr .Wishart was driven over the city and visited the Country club, Staley plant, Pythian home , various hospitals and other big institutions of the city.

He was here for a conference as to the present and future endowment campaign for Millikin. He spent an hour with Dr. A. R. Taylor going over the university and inspecting its equipment. Following the luncheon at the hotel he made a brief address on the attitude of the General Educational board of the church toward endowments. He gave considerable encouragement as to the outlook for Millikin. He seconded the suggestion that Millikin is destined to become one of the great colleges of the Presbyterian church.

START WORK ON JUNIOR HIGH

Unless Strike Interferes Construction Will be Rushed.

Contractor H. B. Kruel, regardless of the railroad strike talk, is going ahead rapidly with his preparations for the erection of the Junior high school building.

He unloaded a donkey engine on the grounds Tuesday and other supplies and equipment are being hurried as rapidly as possible.

Unless the threatened railroad strike ties him up too closely he expects to rush the work on the new school building when he gets really started.

Two car loads of brick for the Decatur junior high school and a car load of cement are tied up somewhere by the Wabash strike. The brick are cream colored face brick for inside walls and are needed in very beginning. The gravel for the additional footings which the board of education is putting in is on the ground, and this work is now waiting for the delayed cement.

One hundred and forty-four new steel lockers were brought Tuesday for the new junior high school building. They will be used next year in the high school and moved to the junior high when that building is ready for occupancy.

DANIELS ARRIVES IN CALIFORNIA

Los Angles, Calif., Aug. 6.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels arrived here shortly after midnight and left a few hours later for San Diego, where he will review the Pacific fleet tomorrow.

"I am happy to be in California," said Mr. Daniels, "to greet half of the new Pacific fleet in its permanent home."

TO COLUMBUS TO SEE TEACHER

Supt. Engleman Still Trying to Fill Vacancies.

Superintendent Engleman left at noon Wednesday for Columbus, O., to interview a candidate for a position in the Decatur schools. It is a place that he has been trying to fill for several months and this seems to be the last chance. The superintendent is hunting farther afield than he has ever done before but the necessity of the case seems to demand it. The candidate is unable to come to Decatur, he looks promising, and this week closes the opportunity to get him.

Two more teachers have resigned. One of these is Miss Gertrude Heller, a grade teacher, who has been in the Decatur schools for five years. She goes to Springfield at an increase of $200 a year.

The other is Miss Ruth Hostetler, a Decatur girl who has been teaching in the grades. She goes to Stonington to teach domestic science which is her specialty.

DEATHS.

LILLIAN WITTKE.

Lillian Dorothy Wittke, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Wittke, died at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in St. Mary's hospital from paralysis which followed a severe attack of diphtheria in June. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters, Frederick of Lafayette, Ind., Edward, Ernest, Helen, Walter, Robert, Lucille, Elmer and Ruth. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, 121 North Calhoun street. Burial will be in Greenwood.

JUNE SCOTT.

June Charlotte Scott, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott, 1231 West Macon street, died Tuesday night at 10 o'clock from heart trouble. She was born April 27, 1919. She is survived by her parents and three brothers, Wilbur, Carl and Milos. Funeral services will be conducted at the residence at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon and burial will be in Fairlawn cemetery.

GENEVIEVE ALLEN.

Genevieve Allen, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Allen, 408 North Broadway, died at 11:30 Wednesday morning from whooping cough and complications. She was born Dec. 5, 1917. She is survived by her parents, one brother, Boyd and a half-sister, Belleville Gardner. Funeral services will be conducted at the family residence at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon and burial will be in Long Creek cemetery.

FUNERALS.

G. H. TUETING.

The funeral services for G. H. Touting will be held in the family residence at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. Burial will be at Fairlawn.

LOIS ROLLER.

The funeral services for Lois Roller will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the farmily residence, 2404 East Prairie. Interment will be in Brush College cemetery.

D. S .C. AWAITING TWO SOLDIERS

Sergt. Scharf Looking for Discharged Men.

Private Percy L. Dile, formerly of Company C, 15th Machine Battalion and Corporal Joseph A. O'Leary formerly of Battery F, 124th Field Artillery, have Distinguished Service Crosses coming to them. Also Austin V. Adams has an additional check due him from the government. Sergeant Scharf of the local recruiting office would like to get information of their whereabouts.

W. R. C. PICNIC IS SET FOR AUG. 14

Dr. W. F. Calhoun Tells of National Encampment.

Fifty members attended the meeting of the W. R. C. Tuesday afternoon. Dr. W. F. Calhoun talked about going to Columbus in September for the National Encampment of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. and allied organization. A large number will make the trip.

Arrangements were made for the W. R. C. picnic at Fairview park, August 14. Members of the G. A. R. and the W. R. C. are invited. Each member of the Relief corps is expected to take a basket and a quart of good tea.

POLICE NOTES.

Edward G. Weld was acquitted in Justice Noble's court Tuesday afternoon of a charge of attempted rape.

George C. Wood, charged with stealing a Maxwell car was released on his own recognizance by Justice Noble Tuesday afternoon. His hearing was set for Aug. 8.

After Prisoner.

Deputy Sheriff Dan Higgins has gone to Lacon, on the Illinois River north of Peoria, to bring back Wesley Trimmer, wanted here on a statuatory charge. Trimmer was arrested by the authorities at Lacon Tuesday.

WILL OPEN ROAD NEAR NIANTIC

Forty Meet Supt. P. T. Hicks to Discuss Plan.

A hearing on opening up a new road, one mile long, two miles west of Niantic and running north from the north road between Niantic and Illiopolis, was held Tuesday afternoon by County Highway Superintendent P. T. Hicks. The meeting was held at the south end of the proposed road and was attended by about forty persons.

Everyone present but two were in favor of the road so the petition was granted. However, it will have to come up before the people of the township again for a vote in the form of a bond issue. It is said this one mile of road will cost about $10,000 or $12,000 and will require about three bridges. The township would have to issue bonds for it. Those wanting the road opened had petitions signed by scores of business men and farmers of the township.

MUCH INTERESTED IN FLOUR PRICE

Plan of Government Would Send Cost Down.

NOW $14.40 BARREL

Dealers Ask Who Will Pay for Loss.

The proposal of the United States grain corporation to cut the price of flour to $10 a barrel wholesale in every community in the country interested the food dealers as well as the consumers in Decatur very much Wednesday.

At present grocers are paying $12.50 a barrel for flour and retailing it at $3.60 for a fifty pound, or quarter barrel, sack. This brings the retail price to $14.40 a barrel. Based on the same proportion of profit, about fifteen per cent, the retail price of a fifty pound sack under the new price would be $2.85 or 2.00 a sack, probably the latter price.

BIG SAVING.

The reduction of 60 cents a sack would represent a substantial saving and might perhaps bring about a reduction in the price of bread, or perhaps a larger loaf.

How this change in price is to be brought about is a question which is brought up by every flour dealer. Who will stand the difference in price between what has been paid and the new price for the flour on hand is another question being asked by flour handlers.

News from the Sick

Mrs. C. Renfro, who was injured when the Chodat building on South Park street collapsed, is still at St. Mary's hospital in a serious condition.

Miss Margaret Ryan, who was injured recently in an automobile accident at Swartz crossing, is improving slowly.

Miss Mae Morton is in a critical condition at St. Mary's hospital. Miss Morton was injured in an automobile accident last week and her injuries are much more serious than they were thought to be at first.

Miss Margaret Buckley, 1505 East Main street, was operated on in St. John's hospital, Springfield, Tuesday afternoon for appendicitis. She is doing nicely. She was in Springfield visiting when she became ill.

DECATUR SOLDIERS RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewer, 1304 North Church street received a telegram Wednesday morning that their son, Serg. Dewey Brewer, would arrive during the day from Indianapolis. He was in France for two years and has been in Camp Merritt since June 21.

Sergeant Roy M. Mount, 1257 North Calhoun, has returned home from overseas. He has been in the service for two years, and for some time past has been in Germany.

Corporal Gail I. Garret, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett, 1980 East William street, returned home Wednesday morning. He has been overseas with the 302d Water tank corp.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryant and son, Earl Junior, of New Concord, Ohio, are in Decatur visiting Mr. Bryant's mother, Mrs. Sarah Bryant, 620 West Decatur street.

Mrs. G. W. Stoddard and children returned Wednesday from Mt. Vernon, where they have been visiting relatives during the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stout of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Stout's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murray, 111 South Hilton street.

Mr.and Mrs. L. M. Livingston, formerly of Decatur, but now living in Shawnee, Okla., passed through Decatur Wednesday morning on their way to Bloomington, Ill. Mr. Livingston will be remembered by his friends as a brakeman on the Wabash.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Coleman left in their automobile Wednesday morning for their home in Butler, Mo., following a six weeks' visit with Mrs. Coleman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cussins, 404 West Decatur street. They were accompanied by their son, Sam, and daughter, Betty Jane, and a colored maid.

Mrs. W. H. Wayne and three children, 1031 East Cantrell street have returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mrs. T. M. Bean and her mother, Mrs. J. McK. Booth returned Tuesday night from Klinger Lake, Mich., where they have been spending several weeks.

LOUIS WALLIS TO APPEAR AGAIN

Will Address City Club on "Square Deal for Business."

Louis Wallis, who spoke before the City club during the winter will again address the City club next Wednesday, Aug. 13, on "A Square Deal for Business." When Mr. Wallis, who was a dollar-a-year man with the Fels commission spoke here during the war his subject was "Labor."

MEETINGS.

Brotherhood of American Yoeman 5164—Regular meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday night in the Odd Fellows hall, 141 East Main street.

Stephen Decatur 979, A. F. and A. M.—Special meeting at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday night in the Eldorado Temple.

Decatur Temple Pythian Sisters 137—Regular meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday night in the K. P. hall on Park street.

RED CROSS WILL DISCUSS POLICY

Meeting Called Aug. 14 of County Branches.

A meeting of representatives of all branches of the Macon county chapter of the Red Cross will be held on Aug. 14 in Decatur for the purpose of talking over what the policy of the local chapter should be in peace times. It is expected that a representative of the central division headquarters will be present to tell what the national plans are for the peace activities, if any, of the great emergency organization.

The time and place for the meeting have not yet been selected but it is likely that there will be a luncheon at which suggestions will be heard from the representatives of the different branches as to what they see in their community which should be under the supervision of the Red Cross.

FORTY BOYS IN Y. M. C. A. POOL

Came From Playgrounds Under Direction of A. D. Jones.

About 40 boys from the playground under the direction of A. D. Jones had a swim in the Y. M. C. A. pool Wednesday morning. Cordon Lipe, who is working for Mr. Jones watches the pool. The boys play at the Pugh school in the morning and then go to Torrence park in the afternoon. The games consists of baseball, volley ball, play ground ball, basketball and other athletics. The play ground season closes Aug. 20.

Cordon Lipe will go to the Lincoln chautauqua next week to take up athletic work.

JOHN K. GUMPPER GRANTED PATENT

Has Wheel Removing Tool to be Made Here.

A patent has been granted to John K. Gumppor, president of the Dual Truck & Tractor Co., for a wheel removing tool which he has devised.

Mr. Gumpper stated Wednesday that the device is a very simple one for the removal of wheels from all kinds of vehicles and that just as soon as the tractor factory here gets somewhat away from the rush of starting the tool will be manufactured in Decatur.

Mr. Gumpper stated Wednesday that the production of tractors at the Decatur factory had gotten a real start, fifteen machines now being under way in the factory here. Five are also being made in Chicago to help out the local plant until it gets started on full production.

SCARLET COLORED CAR ATTRACTIVE

Louis Moran Drives Jordan "Play Boy" From St. Louis.

Louis A. Moran drove a brilliant scarlet colored Jordan "Play Boy" roadster from St. Louis to Decatur Tuesday afternoon, and attracted considerable attention in St. Louis and all along the route, especially in Springfield.

The car is of the roadster type, has a disappearing top, a disappearing rear seat, disc wheels and other equipment of a high class sport model.

MARRIED

FRIEDMAN-MAIMEN.

Miss Henrietta Friedman and James J. Maimen were married at 7:30 Tuesday evening in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Friedman, 404 West Decatur street. Rev. Louis Weinberg performed the ceremony.

Miss Friedman has been employed as a milliner at the McCoy millinery store. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Maimen of Chicago. He holds a responsible position with Kling Brothers, manufacturers of raincoats, clothing and bathing suits. The couple left Tuesday night for Chicago where they will made their home.

BOYS CAMP IN FAIRVIEW PARK

Supt. Torrence Has Set Up Stove for Youngsters.

The camp ground at Fairview park where the young boys of Decatur have been camping recently under the supervision of Frank Torrence, park custodian, is a great success. Mr. Torrence recently visited a junk yard and secured an old camp stove which he erected for the youngsters and there they camp and do their own cooking.

Little fellows as small as six years old have been camping there recently. The ground where the boys have their tents is not far from the custodian's house and he usually slips out about midnight to see if everything is all right around the tents.

SLEEP LIKE LOGS.

He usually finds the boys sleeping like Indians dead to the world, but enjoying every minute.

Usually some of the mothers come out during the day either with provisions or for inspection of some of the youngsters who really feel that they are roughing it in true camping style.

The boys do their own cooking and they make flap jacks, fry bacon and eggs—if they can get them—and generally live well as some mother gets out with added supplies nearly every day.

The sisters of the little fellows are asking why they also cannot camp at the park, especially when the camp is located so near to Mr. Torrence's home, and it is possible that some tenting parties may be organized for the little girls.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Morris, 2009 North Lowber street, Friday, Aug. 1, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ayers Reynolds, 2000 East Cantrell street, Monday, July 28, a daughter.

ARMY SURPLUS SADDLES SOLD

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Agents of the war department today sold at public auction $2,000,000 worth of surplus saddles, harness, leather straps, raw and finished hides. Two hundred dealers from every section of the country attended the sale and the bidding was spirited. Most of the surplus stock was disposed of in large lots.

DR. J C HESSLER BACK AT DESK

Making Progress in Securing Teachers.

Dr. J. C. Hessler, acting president of Millikin university, is again back at his desk after a brief vacation with his family at their new cottage at Ellison Bay, Wis.

Dr. Hessler reports that he is making progress in securing teachers for the places which have been left vacant in the Millikin faculty by resignations although it is not easy to get teachers with all the qualifications desired.

SOME DIFFICULTY.

Of particular difficulty is the task of filling the place in the commercial department for which a man is needed. Men qualified to teach the mechanical part of commercial education are plentiful but the man who can handle the economics and finance courses which go with the university commercial work is much harder to find.

The question of securing quarters for girl students who wish to come to Millikin from a distance is more acute than ever as inquiries are coming in daily from new students who are wanting to come to Millikin but whose parents insist that they shall be under dormitory supervision while here.

It will be necessary to come to some decision in regard to rooms quickly if these students are to be secured for the coming year.

BAYONETED BY MILITIAMEN; DIES

Chicago, Aug. 6.—George Fleming, 20 years old, white, a chauffeur, who was bayoneted last night by Private Edward B. Mohan of the state militia after he refused to leave the danger zone, died of his wounds today. The soldier was exonerated by his superiors.

The testimony showed, it is said, that Fleming had been repeatedly warned to leave the danger area and had refused.

Private Mohan testified that he was compelled to attack Fleming in self-defense.

Twenty shots, fired in the "black belt" during a heavy fog early today caused the state troops to increase their vigilance and a number of arrests were made.

NORTHERN OHIO FLOODED BY RAIN

Cleveland Aug. 6.— Damage estimated at nearly $2,000,000 to crops and property resulted from rain and electrical storms which almost reached cloudburst proportions, that swept northern Ohio late yesterday and last night. Small streams reached the 1913 flood mark and railroad, street car, telegraph and telephone service was crippled.

According to news advices received here, Ashland county suffered most, the damage being estimated at $1,000,000. Between 40 and 60 bridges and culverts are reported washed out.

The rainfall here was the heaviest in 18 years, according to the weather bureau officials. During a 28 minute period 1.60 inches fell. In some sections of the city children donned bathing suits and went swimming, the water being so deep automobiles could not navigate.

Two hundred families were driven from their homes at Tiffin, O., by water from the Rock Creek.

FT. WAYNE HARD HIT.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Aug. 6. — Three persons were killed and property damage amounting to thousands of dollars resulted from a rain and electrical storm which swept over northern Indiana and western Ohio Tuesday. The three dead were struck by lightning.

REV. J. B. MARTIN DIES AT ATWOOD

Served in Many Churches From 1869 to 1891.

Rev. Joseph B. Martin, a Methodist minister, died at his home in Atwood Wednesday morning. He has not been active since 1892 but was well known among the older Methodist conference members as he had served in the following places: 1869, Middleton; 1870, Mansfield; 1871-72, Newman; 1873-74, Tolono; 1875, Savoy; 1876-77, Fairmount; 1878,80, Philo; 1881-82, Clinton; 1883-87, Arcola; 1888-89, Potomac; 1890-91, Cerro Gordo.

He is survived by his wife and children.

The funeral will be held in the family home, a farm near Atwood, at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Rev. M. N. English will officiate.

Rev. J. B. Martin of Tower Hill, who was also a member of the Illinois Methodist conference, died last week.

LINCOLN MAN IS ACTIVE AT 98

Lincoln, Aug. 6.—L. L. Hatton is about the most active man of his years to be found near this city. He is 98 today. He was able to be up walking around the city Tuesday morning. He cast his first vote for a presidential candidate in 1844, when he voted for Henry Clay for president.

Riverside Tent.

Rev. Irving Fox of the Riverside Baptist church will preach in the Riverside Gospel tent Wednesday night. His subject will be "The Blood of the Cross."

Scraps of News

LUNGMOTOR CALL.

The lungmotor was called to the home of Clarence Allen, 408 North Broadway at 8:07 Wednesday morning. The baby has the whooping cough and had chocked, but had recovered when the department arrived.

MOVE BY TRUCK.

Somebody moved to Decatur Tuesday in spite of the embargo on freight by the Wabash railroad. A large Danville truck was seen on Decatur streets Wednesday after having evidently brought over a load of household furnishings from the eastern Illinois city.

NO ARRESTS.

The city bastile has a clean record so far for the month of August, that being up until noon Wednesday Things are dull about the police station despite a robbery or two and a carnival in town. Of course there are minor things to investigate.

PATENTS.

Patents were granted in Washington Wednesday to H. Mueller of Decatur, for a sanitary drinking fountain and to R. H. Mueller of Decatur for a service box

HUMIDITY.

Humidity is blamed instead of the heat for the hot feeling Wednesday. With the thermometer at 96 many were ready to guess 106.

HITS WOMAN.

According to a message from Chicago Wednesday, W. L. Schneppert of Macon, Ill., while driving an automobile in Kenosha, Wis., hit Mrs. Riley in the street painfully inuring her.

TALK ON PICNICS.

A treat in store for the swimmers and their friends at the Y. W. C. A. Thursday evening at the Y. W. C. A. nine thirty. Mrs. Virginia Worthington Potts of the Food Economic Department of Armour and Co., will talk on summer picnic baskets after which ice drinks will be served.

BIG BUSINESS.

The state free employment office here had somewhat a flurry of business Wednesday morning. During the first hour of the morning, twelve men were sent out on jobs. The business of the office continues to run about the same, most of the calls for workmen being for common laborers.

PICNIC THURSDAY.

The joint picnic of the Young People's societies of the St. Johannes' and St. Paul's Lutheran churches will be held in Nelson park Thursday afternoon and evening. There will be automobiles at the end of the Eldorado car line from 1:30 to 2:30 to take people out and from 8 to 9 will bring them in. There will be an athletic program.

"MARNE TROOPS" TO QUIT GERMANY SOON

[By The Associated Press.]

Coblenz, Monday, Aug. 4.—Thirty thousand American troops of the Third division who defended Chateau Thierry, and who adopted for their unit the name "Marne division," will begin bidding farewell to the Rhine Tuesday after eight months service in occupied Germany.

The first detachment will leave by train for Brest Tuesday morning, and the transfer of the entire division is expected to be completed within a week.

The Third division claims the distinction of being the only entire American division which actually fought on the Marne

The First division is preparing to begin entraining for the first leg of the homeward trip Aug. 15. Meanwhile the French are proceeding with their plans to occupy certain of the districts evacuated by the Americans. Within a few days the French will take over Treves and the areas between the Luxembourg border and the Rhine.

The question where the American units which will remain in Germany indefinitely are to have their headquarters and garrison is now in the hands of Marshal Foch.

POTATO CROP IN ILLINOIS FAILURE

Springfield, Aug. 6.—The commercial potato crop in Illinois is a dismal failure, according to information received from the state department of agriculture. Complete reports are lacking, but unofficial returns are said to indicate that scarcely enough potatoes will be raised by gardeners for their own consumption.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 6.—Philadelphia-Pittsburgh game postponed; wet grounds.

AMERICAN.

New York, Aug. 6.—St. Louis-New York game postponed; rain. Two games tomorrow.

Philadelphia, Aug. 6. — Chicago-Philadelphia game postponed; wet grounds.

LATE MARKETS

New York, Aug. 6.—LIBERTY BONDS—Closing prices on Liberty bonds today were: 3½'s, 99.78; first 4's, 94.08; second 4's, 93.20; first 4¼'s, 94.30; second 4¼'s, 93.46; third 4¼'s, 93.08; fourth 4¼'s, 93.60; Victory 3¾'s, 99.80; Victory 4¾'s, 99.88.

New York, Aug. 6.—Spot cotton steady; middling, $32.75.

Cotton futures closed steady: October, $32.27; December, $32.46; January, $32.36; March, $32.29; May, $32.38.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Aug. 6.—CLOVER SEED—Prime cash and October, $30.00; December, $28.00; March, $27.25.

ALSIKE—Prime cash, $24.75; October, $25.00; December, $24.70.

TIMOTHY—Prime cash, old and new, $5.50; September, $6.05; October, $5.80; December, $5.90; March, $6.02½.

TO PROSECUTE FOOD HOARDERS

Washington, Aug. 6.—All district attorneys in the United States were ordered today by Attorney General Palmer to proceed immediately in the prosecution of all persons guilty of hoarding foodstuffs and to libel the foodstuffs for condemnation.

"This is the most important business before the country today," Mr. Palmer said, in announcing his action. "I propose to have the law enforcement machinery of the government sidetrack everything to do this job."

PROFITEERING CHARGED.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 6.—Warrants were issued today for the three officers of the Pittsburgh branch of the Central Sugar company of Chicago, charged with profiteering. The informations, which were sworn to by a special agent of the department of justice, charged that the company recently sold sugar at 14 cents a pound wholesale.

FARMER TELLS OF SHOE PROFITEERING

Havana Man Tells How Leather Market "Changes."

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Representatives of the Illinois Agricultural association expected to finish today their two-day session called to adopt an attitude toward legislation pending in congress for regulation of the packing industry and also to consider the federal wheat price guaranty. Officials of farmers' organizations from adjacent states are in attendance.

CHILD'S SHOES $6.25—HIDES $3.25.

Charles Borglet of Havana, Ill. related to the delegates an instance of "how the high cost of living hit the farmer." He said:

"Recently I bought two pairs of shoes for my children. They cost me $12.50. 'Leather is very expensive these days,' was the explanation at the store. Soon after that one of my cows died and then I lost a calf. I got $6.50 for the two hides. 'We can't pay as much as usual; leather is very cheap now,' was the explanation.

"As near as I can figure it, each of my children is wearing the equivalent of a hide on each foot. There is a great big gap somewhere between the producer and the ultimate consumer."

INDIANA FARMERS AROUSED.

Indianapolis, Aug. 6.—In a telegram to the President of the Indiana Federation of Farmers' Associations, representing more than 100,000 Indiana farmers, condemned "veiled threats of a revolution," and declared that it seriously considers advising its members to hold all farm products until the railroad strike ends. The message, signed by Lewis Taylor, general secretary of the association, adds:

"We believe in such arbitration as will result in justice and fairness to all concerned, with work to be resumed pending a decision in the matter."

TO START SUITS AGAINST PACKERS

Washington, Aug. 6.—Anti-trust suits against the five big meat packers will be instituted immediately by the department of justice.

Isidor J. Kresset of the New York law firm of Jerome, Rand and Kresset will have charge of the case and Mr. Palmer said he would be given such assistance by the department of justice "as the case seems to warrant."

EVEN ACTORS MAY GO ON STRIKE

Chicago, Aug. 6.—A strike of actors and chorus girls, members of the Actors' Equity association, is threatened. They are demanding extra pay for Sunday performances, pay for rehearsals and that the managers employ only members of the association. A strike would affect the majority of the downtown theatres.

The managements have declined to grant the demands, according to Harry J. Ridings, president of the Chicago theater managers' association. He asserts the actor folks are getting three or four times what they formerly received.

One manager said chorus girls a year or so ago received $18 a week and now are paid from $35 to $50, while "the average actor takes $300 of our money every week."

How are the Roads?

Pana—Pana was visited by several light showers Tuesday morning but by noon the sun came out good and warm and with a breeze blowing all afternoon the moisture dried rapidly and by 3:30 p.m. the roads were almost dry.

Shelbyville—Roads good.

Mt Pulaski—Roads remain good.

Sullivan—The roads are in good condition.

Monticello—Roads are beginning to get dusty again.

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